

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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# SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product Code(s)**LP\* \*\*\* / RU-LP\* \*\*\* / MP\*\*\*\*

Product Name CytoCell and myProbes Liquid FISH Probes

Synonyms None

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended use Laboratory chemicals

For professional use only

Uses advised against None known

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Supplier

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## 1.4. Emergency telephone number

**Emergency telephone** +44 (0) 1223 294048 (Monday - Friday, 9am - 5pm)

# **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2 - (H315)
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2 - (H319)
Reproductive toxicity	Category 1B - (H360D)

#### 2.2. Label elements

Contains Formamide



# Signal word

Danger

### **Hazard statements**

H315 - Causes skin irritation.

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

H360D - May damage the unborn child.

### **Precautionary statements**

P201 - Obtain special instructions before use.

P264 - Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P308 + P313 - IF exposed or concerned: Get medical advice/attention.

P501 - Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

### 2.3. Other hazards

The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB.

# **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

## 3.1 Substances

Not applicable

#### 3.2 Mixtures

Chemical name	Weight-%	EC No (EU Index No)	UK REACH registration number	Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2020/1567 as amended)	Specific concentration limit (SCL)	M-Factor	M-Factor (long-term)
Formamide 75-12-7	<70	(616-052-00-8) 200-842-0	-	Repr. 1B (H360D)	-	-	-
Dextran sulfate sodium 9011-18-1	<20	-	<u>-</u>	Skin Irrit. 2 (H315) Eye Irrit. 2 (H319) STOT SE 3 (H335)	-	-	-

# Full text of H- and EUH-phrases: see section 16

Chemical name	CAS No.	SVHC candidates
Formamide	75-12-7	X

## **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**General advice** Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

**Inhalation** Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Remove to fresh air. Get

medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.

**Eye contact** Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes.

Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if irritation develops and

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persists.

**Skin contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical

attention if irritation develops and persists.

Ingestion Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce

vomiting. Call a doctor.

Self-protection of the first aider Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** Skin irritation. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation.

Effects of Exposure Contains a known or suspected reproductive toxin. May damage the unborn child.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to doctors Treat symptomatically.

# SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

# 5.1. Extinguishing media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media** Dry chemical, CO2, alcohol-resistant foam or water spray.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

## 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards arising from the

chemical

No information available.

**Hazardous combustion products** Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapours,

Carbon oxides, Sodium oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Hydrogen cyanide, Ammonia.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear.

Use personal protection equipment.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid contact with skin,

eyes or clothing. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more

information. Avoid breathing vapours or mists. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

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**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Avoid release to the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Soak up with inert absorbent material

(e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).

**Methods for cleaning up** Pick up and transfer to properly labelled containers. Wash thoroughly after handling. After

cleaning, flush away traces with water.

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

6.4. Reference to other sections

**Reference to other sections**See section 8 for more information. See section 13 for more information.

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Wear personal protective equipment. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Handle in

accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

**General hygiene considerations** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep away from Incompatible materials. Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a

dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

**Specific use(s)** The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

Risk Management Methods (RMM) The information required is contained in this Safety Data Sheet.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1. Control parameters

#### **Exposure Limits**

Chemical name	United Kingdom
Formamide	TWA: 20 ppm
75-12-7	TWA: 37 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	STEL: 30 ppm
	STEL: 56 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Biological occupational exposure** limits

This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits

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established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

## Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - Workers

Chemical name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation
Formamide 75-12-7		0.952 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6]	6.6 mg/m³ [4] [6]
Sodium chloride 7647-14-5		295.52 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6] 295.52 mg/kg bw/day [4] [7]	2068.62 mg/m <sup>3</sup> [4] [6] 2068.62 mg/m <sup>3</sup> [4] [7]

**Notes** 

Systemic health effects. [4]

Long term. [6] Short term. [7]

## Derived No Effect Level (DNEL) - General Public

Chemical name	Oral	Dermal	Inhalation
Sodium chloride	126.65 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6]	126.65 mg/kg bw/day [4] [6]	443.28 mg/m <sup>3</sup> [4] [6]
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**Notes** 

[4] Systemic health effects.

[6] Long term. [7] Short term.

# **Predicted No Effect Concentration (PNEC)**

	Chemical name	Freshwater	Freshwater (intermittent release)	Marine water	Marine water (intermittent release)	Air
	Formamide 75-12-7	0.5 mg/L	5 mg/L	0.5 mg/L		
Ī	Sodium chloride 7647-14-5	5 mg/L				

Chemical name	Freshwater	Marine sediment	Sewage treatment	Soil	Food chain
	sediment				
Formamide 75-12-7	1.26 mg/kg sediment dw		100 mg/L	0.151 mg/kg soil dw	
	Sediment dw		500 //	4.00 // 11.1	
Sodium chloride 7647-14-5			500 mg/L	4.86 mg/kg soil dw	

## 8.2. Exposure controls

Showers **Engineering controls** 

Eyewash stations Ventilation systems.

Personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields. Eye protection must conform to standard EN 166.

Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves. Ensure that the breakthrough time of the glove

material is not exceeded. Refer to glove supplier for information on breakthrough time for

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specific gloves. Gloves must conform to standard EN 374.

**Skin and body protection**Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.

exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

General hygiene considerations Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and

immediately after handling the product. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Appearance** 

Physical state Liquid Varies
Odour Odourless

Odour threshold No information available

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

Melting point / freezing pointNo data availableInitial boiling point and boiling rangeNo data availableFlammabilityNot applicable

Flammability Limit in Air

Upper flammability or explosive Not applicable

limits

Lower flammability or explosive Not applicable

limits

Flash point 154 °C

Autoignition temperatureNo data availableDecomposition temperatureNo data available

pH (as aqueous solution)

Kinematic viscosity

Dynamic viscosity

No data available
No data available
No data available
No data available

Water solubility No data available No data available Solubility(ies) Partition coefficient No data available No data available Vapour pressure Relative density No data available **Bulk density** No data available **Liquid Density** No data available Relative vapour density No data available

Particle characteristics

Particle SizeNo data availableParticle Size DistributionNo data available

**Explosive properties**No information available.
Oxidising properties
No information available.

9.2. Other information

VOC No information available

# **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity** No information available.

10.2. Chemical stability

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

**Explosion data** 

Sensitivity to mechanical impact None. Sensitivity to static discharge None.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions 
None under normal processing.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid None known based on information supplied.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Incompatible materials Strong acids, Strong bases, Strong oxidising agents, Sulphur trioxide, Metals.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products Carbon oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Silicon oxides, Hydrogen cyanide, Ammonia.

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1. Toxicological information

## Information on likely routes of exposure

#### **Product Information**

**Inhalation** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of

respiratory tract.

Eye contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye irritation.

(based on components). May cause redness, itching, and pain.

Skin contact Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based

on components).

**Ingestion** Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause

gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**Symptoms** Skin irritation. Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

Acute toxicity .

**Numerical measures of toxicity** 

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Formamide	= 5577 mg/kg (Rat)	= 6 g/kg (Rabbit)	> 21 mg/L (Rat) 4 h
Dextran sulfate sodium	= 20600 mg/kg (Rat)	-	-

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes skin irritation.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Reproductive toxicity Classification based on data available for ingredients. May damage fertility or the unborn

child. May damage the unborn child.

The table below indicates ingredients above the cut-off threshold considered as relevant which are listed as reproductive toxins.

Chemical name	United Kingdom
Formamide	Repr. 1B

**STOT - single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**STOT - repeated exposure**Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

**Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Other adverse effects No information available.

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

### 12.1. Toxicity

**Ecotoxicity** Not considered to be harmful to aquatic life.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Formamide	EC50: >500mg/L (72h, Desmodesmus subspicatus) EC50: >500mg/L (96h, Desmodesmus subspicatus)	LC50: =9135mg/L (96h, Brachydanio rerio)	-	EC50: >500mg/L (48h, Daphnia magna)

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability No information available.

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

#### Bioaccumulation

**Component Information** 

Chemical name	Partition coefficient	
Formamide	-0.82	

### 12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility in soil No information available.

## 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT and vPvB assessment The product does not contain any substance(s) classified as PBT or vPvB.

Chemical name	PBT and vPvB assessment	
Formamide	The substance is not PBT / vPvB	

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

# SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste from residues/unused products

Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with

environmental legislation.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse empty containers.

# **SECTION 14: Transport information**

<u>IMDG</u>	<u>6</u>	Not regulated
14.1	UN number or ID number	Not regulated
14.2	UN proper shipping name	Not regulated
14.3	Transport hazard class(es)	Not regulated
14.4	Packing group	Not applicable
14.5	<b>Environmental hazards</b>	Not applicable

14.6 Special Precautions for Users

Special Provisions None

14.7 Maritime transport in bulk No information available

according to IMO instruments

RID
14.1 UN number Not regulated
14.2 UN proper shipping name
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
14.4 Packing group Not applicable
14.5 Environmental hazards
Not regulated
Not regulated
Not applicable

14.6 Special Precautions for Users

Special Provisions None

ADR
14.1 UN number or ID number
Not regulated
Not regulated
Not regulated
Not regulated
Not regulated

14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
 14.4 Packing group
 14.5 Environmental hazards
 Not regulated Not applicable
 Not applicable

14.6 Special Precautions for Users

Special Provisions None

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14.6 Special Precautions for Users

**Special Provisions** None **Note:** None

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

## 15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

### National regulations

#### Authorisations and/or restrictions on use:

This product contains one or more substances subject to restriction (UK REACH - Annex XVII).

Chemical nan	ne	Restricted substance per REACH Annex XVII	Substance subject to authorisation per REACH Annex XIV
Formamide - 75-	12-7	Use restricted. See item 30. Restricted Reproductive Toxin 1B	-

### **Persistent Organic Pollutants**

Not applicable

## **Export Notification requirements**

Not applicable

## Named dangerous substances per COMAH (SI 2015/483 as amended)

Not applicable

## The Ozone-Depleting Substances Regulations 2015

Not applicable

## The Biocidal Products Regulations 2001 (as amended)

Not applicable

#### The Water Environment (Water Framework Directive) (England and Wales) Regulations 2017 (as amended)

Not applicable

# Poisons Act 1972 (Explosive Precursors) Regulations (as amended)

Not applicable

#### **International Inventories**

Contact supplier for inventory compliance status

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical Safety Report No information available

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

#### Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet

#### Full text of H-Statements referred to under section 3

H360D - May damage the unborn child

Legend

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation:

Legend Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

TWA TWA (time-weighted average) STEL STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)

Ceiling Maximum limit value \* Skin designation

+ Sensitisers SCBA Self-contained breathing apparatus

Classification procedure	
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Method Used
Acute oral toxicity	Calculation method
Acute dermal toxicity	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - gas	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - vapour	Calculation method
Acute inhalation toxicity - dust/mist	Calculation method
Skin corrosion/irritation	Calculation method
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Calculation method
Respiratory sensitisation	Calculation method
Skin sensitisation	Calculation method
Mutagenicity	Calculation method
Carcinogenicity	Calculation method
STOT - single exposure	Calculation method
STOT - repeated exposure	Calculation method
Acute aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Chronic aquatic toxicity	Calculation method
Aspiration hazard	Calculation method
Ozone	Calculation method

### Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database

European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)

European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) Committee for Risk Assessment (ECHA\_RAC)

European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) (ECHA\_API)

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals

Food Research Journal

Hazardous Substance Database

International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)

National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)

Australian National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)

NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)

National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Programme

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set

World Health Organization

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