1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product name**
Recombinant E. coli beta Galactosidase protein

**Recommended use**
For research use only

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USA
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**Emergency telephone**
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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS - Classification**

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**GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

**Signal Word**
Danger

**Hazard statements**
H334 - May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled

**Precautionary Statements - EU (§28, 1272/2008)**
P261 - Avoid breathing dust/ fume/ gas/ mist/ vapors/ spray
P285 - In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection
P304 + P341 - IF INHALED: If breathing is difficult, remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
P342 + P311 - If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/ physician
P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant
Other information

No information available

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substances

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

General advice
If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye contact
Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes.

Skin contact
Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

Inhalation
Move to fresh air. Artificial respiration and/or oxygen may be necessary. Call a physician or poison control center immediately.

Ingestion
Clean mouth with water. Drink plenty of water.

Notes to physician
May cause sensitization of susceptible persons. Treat symptomatically.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Flammable properties
Not flammable.

Flash point
not determined

Suitable extinguishing media
Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Explosion Data

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Specific hazards arising from the chemical
Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating gases and vapors. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes. May cause sensitization by inhalation and skin contact.

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters
As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear to prevent contact with skin and eyes.
6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Use personal protective equipment.

Environmental precautions
Try to prevent the material from entering drains or water courses.

Methods for containment
Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up
Cover liquid spill with sand, earth or other noncombustible absorbent material. Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Soak up with inert absorbent material.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Remove and wash contaminated clothing before re-use. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wear personal protective equipment. Do not breathe vapors or spray mist.

Technical measures/Storage conditions
Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of children. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Exposure Guidelines
This product does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Engineering measures
Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems

Personal protective equipment
Eye/face protection
Tightly fitting safety goggles.

Skin and body protection
No special protective equipment required.

Respiratory protection
If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local regulations.

Hygiene measures
Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Incompatible products

None known based on information supplied.

Conditions to avoid

None known based on information supplied.

Hazardous decomposition products

None known based on information supplied.

Hazardous polymerization

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute toxicity

Product Information

May cause sensitization of susceptible persons

Chronic toxicity

Chronic toxicity

Repeated contact may cause allergic reactions in very susceptible persons Avoid repeated exposure

Sensitization

As a precaution the product should be treated as a sensitizer.

Target Organ Effects

None known.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste disposal methods

This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local regulations for additional requirements.

Contaminated packaging

Do not re-use empty containers.

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT

Not dangerous goods

IATA

Not dangerous goods

ADR

Not dangerous goods
15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313
Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

- Acute Health Hazard: yes
- Chronic Health Hazard: yes
- Fire Hazard: no
- Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard: no
- Reactive Hazard: no

Clean Water Act
This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

CERCLA
This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material.

U.S. State Regulations

California Proposition 65
This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

International Regulations

WHMIS Note: This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations (CPR) and the MSDS contains all the information required by the CPR.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Full text of H-Statements referred to under sections 2 and 3
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End of MSDS