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

1.1. Product identifier

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

Use of the substance/mixture

Transport tube and separate swab for microbiological smear tests.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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Responsible Department:	R & D Center	

1.4. Emergency telephone number: Poison Center in Bonn (Germany): +49 (0)228 / 19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

This mixture is not classified as hazardous according to Directive 1999/45/EC.

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

This mixture is not classified as hazardous according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008.

2.2. Label elements

Special labelling of certain mixtures

EUH208	Contains Sodium thioglycolate. May produce an allergic reaction.
EUH210	Safety data sheet available on request.

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical characterization

The transport tube contains Amies transport medium and charcoal.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

After inhalation

Provide fresh air.

After contact with skin

Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

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After contact with eyes

Rinse immediately carefully and thoroughly with eye-bath or water.

After ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water.

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

No information available.

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

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-flammable.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Use personal protection equipment.

6.2. Environmental precautions

No special environmental measures are necessary. Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Take up mechanically. Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

No special measures are necessary.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep container tightly closed. Store in a cool dry place.

Advice on storage compatibility

Keep away from: Oxidizing agents.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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8.2. Exposure controls



Protective and hygiene measures

Take off contaminated clothing. Wash hands before breaks and after work. When using do not eat or drink.

Eye/face protection

Wear eye/face protection.

Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

Skin protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: paste-like
Colour: transparent
Odour: characteristic

pH-Value: 7,00 **Test method**

Changes in the physical state

Melting point: not determined
Initial boiling point and boiling range: not determined
Flash point: not applicable

Flammability

Solid: not determined
Gas: not applicable

Lower explosion limits: not determined
Upper explosion limits: not determined

Auto-ignition temperature

Solid: not determined
Gas: not applicable

Decomposition temperature: not determined

Oxidizing properties

Not oxidizing.

Vapour pressure: not determined

Density: not determined

Water solubility: insoluble

Solubility in other solvents

not determined

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Partition coefficient:	not determined
Vapour density:	not determined
Evaporation rate:	not determined

9.2. Other information

Solid content:	not determined
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Keep away from: Oxidizing agents.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

none

10.5. Incompatible materials

No information available.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No known hazardous decomposition products.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity

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

Irritation and corrosivity

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

Sensitising effects

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

STOT-single exposure

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

Severe effects after repeated or prolonged exposure

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

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

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

Aspiration hazard

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

Additional information on tests

This mixture is classified as not hazardous according to 1999/45/EC.

Practical experience

Observations relevant to classification

Irritation of skin and mucous membrane. Causes eye irritation.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

The product is not: Ecotoxic.

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12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product has not been tested.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

The product has not been tested.

12.4. Mobility in soil

The product has not been tested.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The product has not been tested.

12.6. Other adverse effects

No information available.

Further information

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Advice on disposal

Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1. UN number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es):

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

14.1. UN number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es):

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Marine transport (IMDG)

14.1. UN number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es):

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Air transport (ICAO)

14.1. UN number:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.2. UN proper shipping name:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es):

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.4. Packing group:

No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: no

14.6. Special precautions for user

No information available.

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14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code

not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

EU regulatory information

Additional information

To follow: 850/2004/EC, 79/117/EEC, 689/2008/EC

National regulatory information

Water contaminating class (D): - - not water contaminating

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Changes

General revision.

Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route
(European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%

LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

Relevant H- and EUH-phrases (Number and full text)

EUH208 Contains Sodium thioglycolate. May produce an allergic reaction.

EUH210 Safety data sheet available on request.

Further Information

The product is a single-use laboratory product for in vitro diagnostics.

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.

(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)