




SAFETY DATA SHEET

IDENTIFICATION OF PRODUCT (SUBSTANCE) AND SUPPLIER (1):

Product Name: Mounting Fluid
Product Number: 1025
Intended Use: Component of ImmunoFA™ Kit
Supplier's Name: GenBio
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COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS – HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (2):

This component should be handled only by qualified personnel trained in laboratory procedures and familiar with their potential hazards. Specific warnings are given in the instructions for use. The absence of a specific warning should not be interpreted as an indication of safety.

Component	Content
R1 Mounting Fluid 1 bottle (5 mL)  Warning!	Fluid containing diluted 3.16% Tris-HCl buffer (CAS# 1185-53-1, EINECS/ELINCS No. 214-684-5), 2.5% 1,4-Diazabicyclo[2.2.2]octane (DABCO, CAS# 280-57-9, EINECS/ELINCS No. 205-999-9, GHS / 2008/1272/EC Classification: DANGER! H228, H302, H315, H319, H335, H412) and 90% Glycerol (CAS# 56-81-5, EC No. 200-289-5). Preserved with 0.096% NaN₃ , CAS# 26628-22-8, EINECS/ELINCS No. 247-852-1 [GHS / 2008/1272/EC Classification: WARNING! GHS07, H300, H302, H400, H410, P264, P270, P301+312, P330, P501]. Classification: Acute Tox. 2 (Oral), Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1 [R28, R32, R50/53, S1/2, S28, S45, S60, S61].



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HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION – HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS (3):

The following information is furnished for those kit hazardous constituents that require regulatory control or disclosure at the concentration found in the kit. Note that the information here is often based on data from the chemical raw material (LD50, exposure limits, etc.). The kit contains a significantly diluted concentration in an aqueous solution; thus, the assessment below has taken hazard reduction processing into consideration when possible. The EU classification was made according to the latest editions of the EU lists and expanded upon from company and literature data.

Chemical Ingredient	Chemical Data / Information	
<p>Sodium Azide [0.096% NaN₃ in R1]</p>	<p>CAS#: 26628-22-8 (100%) + RTECS#: VY8050000 (100%) LD50 (oral-rat): 27 mg/kg (100%) + PEL/TLV: 0.3 mg/m³ (ceiling) (100%) + HMIS Codes: H=1, F=0, R=1 ++</p> <p>EINECS/ELINCS No: 247-852-1 (100%) + Flash Point: NE LC50 (inhalation-rat): 37 mg/m³ (100%) + IATA/DOT ID: UN1687 (undiluted, 100%) + RCRA Code: P105 (undiluted, 100%) +</p> <p>EU Classification: WARNING! GHS07, H300, H302, H400, H410, P264, P270, P301+312, P330, P501]. Classification: Acute Tox. 2 (Oral), Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1 [R28, R32, R50/53, S1/2, S28, S45, S60, S61]</p> <p>Sodium azide is a biocidal preservative, which may be detrimental if enough is ingested (quantities above those found in the kit). Avoid contact with metals; sodium azide may react with lead or copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides. Buildup in metal plumbing has led to laboratory explosions, so flush with copious water when pouring dilute solutions down the drain to prevent such explosive buildup. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way and in accordance with local, regional and national regulations. The potential for adverse health effects is unknown for the highly diluted, small volume of sodium azide in this kit, but unlikely if handled appropriately, with the requisite Good Laboratory Practices and Universal Precautions.</p>	
<p>DABCO [2.5% C₆H₁₂N₂ in R1]</p>	<p>CAS#: 280-57-9 (100%) + RTECS#: HM0354200 (100%) LD50 (oral-rat): 1,700 mg/kg (100%) + PEL/TLV: Not known (100%) + HMIS Codes: H=2, F=3, R=3 ++</p> <p>EINECS/ELINCS No: 205-999-9 (100%) + Flash Point: 62 °C (144 °F) - closed cup LC50 (inhalation): No data available IATA/DOT ID: 1325 (undiluted, 100%) + RCRA Code: Not Listed</p> <p>EU Classification: DANGER! H228, H302, H315, H319, H335, H412 GHS Classification: Flammable solids (Category 1), Acute toxicity, Oral (Category 4), Skin irritation (Category 2), Eye irritation (Category 2A), Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (Category 3), Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3), Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3) [R22, R34, S26, S36/S37/S39, S4]</p>	



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	<p>DABCO is a strong hindered amine base. Avoid breathing dust, fume, gas, mist, vapors, or spray. Keep away from heat, sparks, open flames, and hot surfaces. - No smoking. Avoid release to the environment. IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way and in accordance with local, regional and national regulations. The potential for adverse health effects is unknown for the highly diluted, small volume of DABCO in this kit component, but unlikely if handled appropriately, with the requisite Good Laboratory Practices and Universal Precautions.</p>	
Glycerol [90% C ₃ H ₈ O ₃ in R1]	CAS#: 56-81-5 (100%) + RTECS#: MA8050000 (100%) + LD50 (oral-rat): 12,600 mg/kg (100%) + PEL/TLV: 10 mg/m ³ total mist (100%) + HMIS Codes: H=1, F=0, R=1 ++ EU Classification: None; S36 ++ Keep glycerol solutions away from strong oxidizing agents, including sodium hypochlorite (bleach) and potassium permanganate, as these could potentially form explosive mixtures. The potential for adverse effects is unknown for the small volume of glycerol in this kit, but unlikely if handled appropriately with the requisite Good Laboratory Practices and Universal Precautions. Dispose of this material in accordance with local, regional and national regulations.	EINECS/ELINCS No: 200-289-5 (100%) + Flash Point: 320°F / 160°C (100%) + LC50 (inhalation-rat): >570 mg/m ³ (100%) + IATA/DOT ID: NE RCRA Code: NE
<p>+ The Kit Concentration was not tested; the values refer to the solution concentration as tested, designated by percentage within parentheses. ++ The Kit Concentration was tested or the values given were estimated for the general diagnostic laboratory usage of the kit reagent dilution. NE: Not Established or Unknown (unable to locate data); typically for concentrated form unless otherwise specified. Abbreviations for component HMIS hazard ratings are as follows: H=Health, F=Flammability, R=Reactivity</p>		

General Kit Composite Health Hazards:

- No significant adverse health effects are expected by any route for the following chemical constituents in the volumes and concentrations present (dilution not subject to EU Directive labeling):
 - Diluted (<5%) **Tris (hydroxymethyl) aminomethane hydrochloride** (Tris-HCl) [C₄H₁₁NO₃·HCl], CAS# 1185-53-1, EC No. 214-684-5. (R1)



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EMERGENCY FIRST AID MEASURES (4):

Health Effects:	Symptoms of overexposure may include headache, dizziness, congestion and breathing difficulty. Skin contact may result in dermatitis and may cause allergic skin reaction upon repeated exposure. Severely irritating or corrosive to eyes; greater exposures can cause eye damage, including permanent impairment of vision. May cause ingestion corrosive effects including burning throat, mouth and stomach. Risk of serious damage to eyes.
Eye Contact:	Flush eyes with copious water for at least 15 minutes. Ensure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers while flushing with water. OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION.
Skin Contact:	Remove contaminated clothing. Flush skin with copious water and wash affected area with soap and water. If more severe symptoms develop, consult a physician.
Inhalation:	Remove person from exposure area to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, immediately call for emergency medical assistance. Treat symptomatically and supportively. Generally, this aqueous product is not a significant inhalation hazard in the kit volumes and concentrations present.
If Swallowed:	If ingested, wash out mouth thoroughly with water, provided the person is conscious, and OBTAIN MEDICAL ATTENTION. Call a physician or the local poison control center. Treat symptomatically and supportively. If vomiting occurs, keep head lower than hips to prevent aspiration.

FIREFIGHTING MEASURES (5):

Extinguishing Media	Use extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fire.
Special Firefighting Procedures	Conventional firefighting full protective equipment (with NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus) and procedures appropriate for the surrounding fire should be sufficient.

ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES (6):

- Avoid direct contact with skin, eyes, mucous membranes and clothing by wearing appropriate lab personal protective equipment (PPE) including gloves, lab coat and eye/face protection.
- In the event of a hazardous material spill, contain the spill if it is safe to do so and immediately move to a safe area, free from potential aerosols, to decontaminate and/or safely remove any contaminated clothing, as necessary. Isolate the hazard area and ventilate if appropriate. Ensure that appropriate spill cleanup materials and PPE are available and used.



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- Follow established laboratory policy and applicable CDC/NIH biosafety and/or OSHA/WISHA hazardous material spill and/or NFPA/Fire Code guidelines for appropriate hazardous chemical and/or biological material spill response and cleanup.
- Wear appropriate PPE. Immediately perform the following on-site if possible:
 - Neutralize corrosive acidic spills with the appropriate *acid adsorbent* product.
- Clean the spill area with water and wipe dry. Spills can also be absorbed with appropriate inert materials (e.g. spill pillows, acid absorbent pads, etc.), which are secured in an appropriate, labeled, sealed container. Material used to absorb the spill may require hazardous material waste disposal. Infectious, chemical and laboratory wastes must be handled and discarded in accordance with all local, regional and national regulations.

HANDLING AND STORAGE INFORMATION (7):

Handling: This kit component should be handled only by qualified personnel trained in laboratory procedures and familiar with their potential hazards. Follow proper Good Laboratory Practices and safety guidelines for handling chemical, biological and laboratory hazards. Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) including gloves, lab coat or equivalent and eye/face protection. Keep containers tightly closed; avoid splashing, spills and the generation of aerosols. Handle all specimens, materials and equipment used to perform the operations as though they were capable of transmitting infectious disease, as per Universal Precautions. Refer to Section 8 for more specifics. Consult with your Environmental Health & Safety Office for assistance.

Storage: Store according to product label instructions (generally at room temperature).
Read and follow all the precautions and warnings in the kit product instructions.

EXPOSURE CONTROL / PERSONAL PROTECTION MEASURES (8):

The following personal protective equipment (PPE) is recommended to prevent potentially hazardous materials from reaching the user's work or street clothes, skin, mouth, mucous membranes and eyes, and to prevent hazard inhalation, under normal conditions of use and for the time during which the protective equipment is utilized:

Ventilation: Adequate lab ventilation is required.

Eye Protection: Wear ANSI approved safety glasses, goggles or face shield with safety glasses or goggles. Contact lenses should not be worn when handling lab hazards.

Protective Gloves: Suitable gloves must be worn at all times when handling kit reagents or patient samples to provide skin protection from splash and intermittent contact. Synthetic gloves such as nitrile, neoprene and vinyl are recommended because they are sturdy, effective and contain no natural latex ingredients associated with latex glove allergic reactions. Disposable (single use) gloves should be changed often and never reused. Wash hands thoroughly after removing gloves.

Protective Clothing: Wear a lab coat, clinic jacket, gown, apron and/or smock. Disposable clothing is strongly recommended when handling biohazardous material. If reusable clothing is used, procedures for handling potentially infectious laundry under the OSHA Bloodborne Pathogens Standard (29 CFR 1910.1030) are required.



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- Other:** All personal protective equipment should be removed before leaving the work area and placed in an appropriately designated area or container for storage, processing, decontamination or disposal. Protective coverings such as plastic wrap, aluminum foil or imperviously-backed absorbent pads used to cover equipment and/or surfaces must be removed and replaced if they become overtly contaminated.
- Note:** Exposure limit values and health hazard data were given in Section 3. Environmental controls are included in the following sections.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES (9):

- Appearance:** Clear aqueous liquid. Refer to Section 2.
- Fire Hazard:** Although the component has not been tested for fire hazard and explosion data, being water-based, it is not expected to be a fire hazard, but some of the packaging materials may burn under fire conditions.
- Flash Point:** Not applicable.
- Auto Igniting:** Product is not known to be self-igniting.
- Danger of Explosion:** Not applicable.
- Boiling Point:** Not established.
- Melting Point:** Not established.
- Solubility:** The liquid chemical components are soluble in water.
- pH:** The liquid chemical component is between pH 8 and 9.5.
- Specific Gravity:** Not established.

No other standard characteristics applicable to the identification or hazards of the component are known.

STABILITY AND REACTIVITY INFORMATION (10):

- Stability:** The components are stable with no known inherent significant reactivity at the dilutions and concentrations present in the component.
- Materials to Avoid:** None identified.
- Conditions to Avoid:** None identified.
- Hazardous Decomposition Products:** May emit toxic oxides of carbon and nitrogen under fire conditions.
- Hazardous Polymerization:** Has not been reported to occur.



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TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION – GENERAL COMPOSITE (11):

Refer to Section 3 for the kit component concentrations. The composite toxicological information for this product is:

Acute Health Effects

Toxicity: May be detrimental in contact with skin, if swallowed, and to eyes upon contact; in case of contact with eyes, immediately rinse with copious water and seek medical attention.

Primary Irritant Effect: A skin and severe eye irritant; prolonged contact may cause eye injury.

Corosivity: Harmful if swallowed.

Other Acute Health Effects: Harmful if swallowed.

Biohazard Potential

None identified.

Chronic Toxicity

Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known. Though, the potential for an allergic response is small, handle accordingly.

Carcinogenicity:

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

Reproductive Hazard: No reproductive hazardous effect known.

Additional Toxicological Information

To the best of our knowledge, the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have NOT been thoroughly investigated for some of the component chemicals and/or mixtures.

ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION (12):

Toxicity: Acute aquatic toxicity (Category 3), Chronic aquatic toxicity (Category 3)

Persistence and degradability: no data available

Bioaccumulative potential: no data available

Mobility in soil: no data available

PBT and vPvB assessment: no data available

Other adverse effects: no data available



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DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS (13):

Disposal of hazardous and/or laboratory wastes, product or packaging must be conducted in accordance with all applicable local, regional and national regulations. This section specifies the general and United States RCRA requirements. Processing, use or contamination of the kit component may change waste management requirements and options. Contact your Environmental Health & Safety Office for your specific disposal procedures.

Recommended Product Disposal:

- **Sodium azide** may react with lead or copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides; buildup in metal plumbing has led to laboratory explosions, so flush with copious water when pouring dilute solutions down the drain to prevent such explosive buildup; check your national, regional and local ordinances accordingly.

Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with appropriate cleanser. Contact your Environmental Health & Safety Office for your specific cleansing materials and procedures.

Recommended Unclean Packaging Disposal: Dispose of in accordance with all applicable local, regional and national regulations.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION (14):

Shipping and disposal of product, packaging and waste must be conducted in accordance with all applicable local, regional and national regulations. Processing, use or contamination of the kit components may change shipping requirements and options. Contact your Environmental Health & Safety Office for your specific shipping procedures.

Recommended Unused Product Transportation:

No known transport restrictions. Hazardous substance, non-dangerous goods.

Recommended Used Product Hazardous Waste Disposal Transportation:

No known transport restrictions. Hazardous substance, non-dangerous goods.

REGULATORY INFORMATION (15):

Composite HMIS Rating	Health: 2	Flammability: 3	Reactivity: 3
California Proposition 65:	The product does not contain listed substances.		
Carcinogenicity Categories:	No component, mixture or constituent has been classified as a carcinogen by NTP (National Toxicity Program), IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer), TLV-CAR (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH) or OSHA.		
WHMIS Classification:	This MSDS contains the required information in accordance with the WHMIS hazard classification criteria for this product.		

Markings according to European guidelines:

This product has been classified and labeled in accordance with applicable European Community (EC) Directives (refer to 1999/45/EC, 2001/59/EC and 2001/60/EC).



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Hazard Designation of Composite Product: HARMFUL (Xn);

Hazard Determining Substance(s) of Labeling (rated under 1999/45/EC unless otherwise specified):
0.096% Sodium azide, EINECS/ELINCS No: 247-852-1, CAS# 26628-22-8 [S 35-36].

Risk Phrases:

- R22: Harmful if swallowed.
- R28: Very toxic if swallowed.
- R32: Contact with acids liberates very toxic gas.
- R34: Causes burns.
- R50: Very toxic to aquatic organisms.
- R53: May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Safety Phrases:

- S1: Keep locked up.
- S2: Keep out of the reach of children.
- S4: Keep away from living quarters.
- S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- S28: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of ... *(to be specified by the manufacturer)*.
- S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
- S45: In case of accident or if you fell unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).
- S60: This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.
- S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheet.

OTHER INFORMATION (16):

Health Hazard Phrases:

- H228: Flammable solid.
- H300: Fatal if swallowed.
- H302: Harmful if swallowed.
- H315: Causes skin irritation.
- H319: Causes serious eye irritation.
- H335: May cause respiratory irritation.
- H400: Very toxic to aquatic life.
- H410: Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
- H412: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.



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