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MSDS: Material Safety Data Sheet

Biology LabPaqs

This list includes all the chemicals used in the Biology LabPaqs:
BK-1, BK-2A, MBK, and MBK-1170 produced by HOL.
Only some of these chemicals are in each LabPaq.

Effective Date 04-01-07

SAFETY – This Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) is designed to provide chemical, physical, health, and safety information on reagents and supplies used by HOL. While all experiments in HOL LabPaqs are micro-scale or small-scale, which reduces most potential risks, unforeseen risks may still exist. The need to prevent injuries and accidents cannot be over-emphasized! No chemicals should be mixed or used other than as directed in the Lab Manual which accompanies the LabPaq. Make sure to store the LabPaq out of the reach of children and pets. Thoroughly read and review the Basic Safety information in your Lab Manual, the MSDS information, and sign the Safety Contract. Make sure to wear the proper protective equipment and clothing.

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/IDENTITY INFORMATION

Hazard: Corrosive, Acids & Bases

<u>COMPOSITION</u>	<u>CAS NUMBER</u>	<u>PEL/TLV</u>	<u>% by Volume</u>	<u>HAZARD</u>
Barritt's B reagent	N/A	N/A	N/A	Corrosive/Burns
Potassium hydroxide	1310-58-3	N/A	40	Corrosive/Burns

Hazard: Flammable

<u>COMPOSITION</u>	<u>CAS NUMBER</u>	<u>PEL/TLV</u>	<u>% by Volume</u>	<u>HAZARD</u>
Alcohol pads	67-63-0	N/A	N/A	Flammable
Barritt's A reagent in Reagent alcohol	N/A	N/A	N/A	Flammable/Toxic
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	1000 ppm	86	Flammable
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	200 ppm	4.3	Flammable/Toxic
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	400 ppm	4.7	Flammable
α-Naphthol	90-15-3	N/A	5	Toxic
Dissection specimen, arthropod	N/A	N/A	N/A	Flammable/Harmful
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	N/A	70	Flammable
Ethyl acetate	141-78-6	N/A	N/A	Flammable
Benzyl Alcohol	100-51-6	N/A	N/A	Flammable
Propylene glycol	57-55-6	N/A	N/A	Harmful
Glutaraldehyde	111-30-8	0.05	<1	Toxic
Ethylene Glycol Phenyl Ether	122-99-4	N/A	1	Harmful
Diethylene Glycol Phenyl Ether	104-68-7	N/A	<1	Harmful
Gram stain crystal violet in Reagent alc	N/A	N/A	N/A	Flammable/Toxic
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	N/A	10	Flammable
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	N/A	<1	Flammable/Toxic
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	N/A	<1	Flammable
Crystal violet	548-62-9	N/A	<1	Irritant
Gram Stain Decolorizer	N/A	N/A	N/A	Flammable
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	400 ppm	70	Flammable
Acetone	67-64-1	1000 ppm	30	Flammable
Gram stain safranin in Reagent alcohol	N/A	N/A	N/A	Flammable/Toxic
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	N/A	10	Flammable
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	N/A	<1	Flammable/Toxic
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	N/A	<1	Flammable
Safranin	477-73-6	N/A	<1	Irritant
Phenolphthalein, 1% in Reagent alcohol	77-09-8	N/A	1.0	Flammable/Toxic
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	1000 ppm	90.5	Flammable
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	200 ppm	4.53	Flammable/Toxic
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	400 ppm	4.97	Flammable
Phenolphthalein	77-09-8	N/A	1	Irritant
Sudan III, 1% in Reagent alcohol	N/A	N/A	N/A	Flammable/Toxic
Ethyl alcohol	64-17-5	1000 ppm	35	Flammable
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	200 ppm	3.2	Flammable/Toxic
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	400 ppm	3.5	Flammable
Acetone	67-64-1	1000 ppm	50	Flammable
Sudan III	85-86--9	N/A	1	Irritant

Biology and Microbiology LabPags

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Hazard: Toxic/Oxidizer, Nitrates & Poisons

<u>COMPOSITION</u>	<u>CAS NUMBER</u>	<u>PEL/TLV</u>	<u>% by Volume</u>	<u>HAZARD</u>
Benedicts reagent	N/A	N/A	N/A	Harmful
Sodium citrate	6132-04-3	N/A	17.5	Irritant
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	N/A	10.0	Irritant
Cupric sulfate	7758-99-8	N/A	1.7	Toxic
Biuret reagent	N/A	N/A	N/A	Harmful
Potassium sodium tartrate	6381-59-5	N/A	<1	Harmful
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	N/A	<1	Irritant
Potassium iodide	7681-11-0	N/A	<1	Irritant
Cupric sulfate	7758-99-8	N/A	<1	Toxic
Gram stain iodine	N/A	N/A	N/A	Toxic
Potassium Iodide	7681-11-0	N/A	13	Irritant
PVP-Iodine	25655-41-8	N/A	2	Toxic
IKI Indicator	N/A	N/A	N/A	Toxic
Potassium Iodide	7681-11-0	N/A	5	Irritant
Iodine	7553-56-2	N/A	2.5	Toxic
Potassium permanganate	7722-64-7	N/A	100	Toxic/Oxidizer

Hazard: Slight or Minimal, Miscellaneous

<u>COMPOSITION</u>	<u>CAS NUMBER</u>	<u>PEL/TLV</u>	<u>% by Volume</u>	<u>HAZARD</u>
Agar, MacConkry	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Agar, Nutrient	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
α -Amylase	9000-92-4	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Antibiotic disk, Erythromycin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Antibiotic disk, Gentamicin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Antibiotic disk, Novobiacin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Antibiotic disk, Oxacillin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Antibiotic disk, Penicillin	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Bakers Yeast	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Bromthymol blue, 0.01%	34722-90-2	N/A	<1	Irritant
Congo red stain, 0.1%	573-58-0	N/A	<1	Irritant
Culture media, sterile	N/A	N/A	N/A	Harmful
Includes agars & broths				
Dialysis tubing	N/A	N/A	N/A	Harmful
Glycerin	56-81-5	NA	N/A	Harmful
Sulfur	7704-34-9	N/A	N/A	Harmful
Fructose powder	57-48-7	N/A	100	Non-Hazardous
Glucose powder (Dextrose)	50-99-7	N/A	100	Non-Hazardous
Hydrochloric acid, 0.1N	7647-01-0	N/A	<1	Irritant
Lactobacillus acidophilis	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Mannitol powder	69-65-8	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Methyl red	845-10-3	N/A	<1	Irritant
Owl pellet	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Pepsin powder	9001-75-6	N/A	100	Irritant
pH 3.5 buffer solution	N/A	N/A	N/A	Irritant
Potassium biphthalate	877-24-7	N/A	<1	Irritant
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	N/A	<1	Irritant
Methyl paraben	99-76-3	N/A	<1	irritant
Propyl paraben	94-13-3	N/A	<1	Irritant
pH 5.0 buffer solution	N/A	N/A	N/A	irritant
Potassium biphthalate	877-24-7	N/A	<1	Irritant
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	N/A	<1	Irritant
pH 7.0 buffer solution (yellow)	N/A	N/A	N/A	Irritant
Potassium hydrogen phthalate	877-24-7	N/A	<1	Irritant
Amaranth	915-67-3	N/A	<1	Irritant
Hydrochloric acid	7647-01-0	N/A	<1	Irritant
Dowicide	132-27-4	N/A	<1	Toxic
pH 6.8 buffer solution	N/A	N/A	N/A	Irritant
Potassium phosphate monobasic	7778-77-0	N/A	N/A	Irritant
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	N/A	<1	Irritant
pH 11.5 buffer solution	N/A	N/A	N/A	Irritant
Potassium chloride	7447-40-7	N/A	<1	Irritant
Sodium hydroxide	1310-73-2	N/A	<1	Irritant
pH test strips, wide range	N/A	N/A	N/A	Harmful
PTC test paper	N/A	N/A	N/A	Non-Hazardous
Red food coloring	4548-53-2	N/A	100	Non-Hazardous
Sodium hydroxide, 0.1M	1310-73-2	N/A	<1	Irritant
Starch, 1% with	9005-84-9	N/A	N/A	Irritant
0.02% Thimerosal	54-64-8	N/A	<1	Toxic

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Unknowns, BK-1, X-01

N/A

N/A

N/A

Non-Hazardous

EMERGENCY OVERVIEW

Hazard: Corrosive, Acids & Bases

DANGER! POISON! CORROSIVE LIQUID AND VAPOR! CAN CAUSE SEVERE BURNS TO ALL BODY TISSUE. MAY BE FATAL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED. INHALATION MAY CAUSE LUNG DAMAGE.

SAFETY RATINGS: Health: 3, Severe (Poison) Reactivity: 3, Severe (Oxidizer)
Flammability: 0, None Contact: 4, Extreme (Corrosive)

Protective Equipment: Goggles, Lab Coat or Apron, Gloves, Local or General Exhaust Ventilation.

Hazard: Toxic/Oxidizer, Nitrates & Poisons

WARNING! VERY HAZARDOUS IF SWALLOWED. MAY CAUSE MODERATE TO SEVERE IRRITATION TO EYES AND/OR BURNS RESULTING IN CORNEAL INJURY. HARMFUL IF INHALED. CAN CAUSE IRRITATION AND OR BURNS TO SKIN, EYES AND RESPIRATORY TRACT.

OXIDIZERS: CONTACT WITH OTHER MATERIAL MAY CAUSE A FIRE.
POISONS: VERY HAZARDOUS IF SWALLOWED.

SAFETY RATINGS: Health: 3, Severe (Poison) Reactivity: 3, Severe (Oxidizer)
Flammability: 0, None Contact: 3, Severe (Corrosive)

Protective Equipment: Goggles, Lab Coat or Apron and Gloves.

Hazard: Flammables:

Health Hazards/Precautionary Measures:

POISON! VAPOR HARMFUL! MAY BE FATAL OR CAUSE BLINDNESS IF SWALLOWED. HARMFUL IF INHALED OR ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. CANNOT BE MADE NONPOISONOUS, AFFECTS CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM AND LIVER. CAUSES IRRITATION TO SKIN, EYES AND RESPIRATORY TRACT.

Physical Hazards/Precautionary Measures:

DANGER! FLAMMABLE LIQUID AND VAPOR! KEEP AWAY FROM HEAT, SPARKS, FLAMES, STATIC ELECTRICITY OR OTHER SOURCES OF IGNITION. DO NOT SMOKE IN LABORATORY AREA!

SAFETY RATINGS: Health: 3, Severe (Poison) Reactivity: 1, Slight
Flammability: 3, Extreme (Flammable) Contact: 1, Slight

Protective Equipment: Safety Glasses, Lab Coat or Apron, Gloves, Local or General Exhaust Ventilation.

Hazard: Slight or Minimal, Miscellaneous

WARNING! MAY CAUSE IRRITATION TO EYES, SKIN AND RESPIRATORY TRACT. MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED OR INHALED.

SAFETY RATINGS: Health: 1, Slight Reactivity: 1, None
Flammability: 0, None Contact: 1, Slight

Protective Equipment: Safety Glasses, Lab Coat or Apron, Gloves.

POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

Hazard: Corrosive, Acids & Bases

INHALATION:

Effects from inhalation of vapor vary from mild irritation to serious damage of the upper respiratory tract, depending on severity and length of exposure. Symptoms may include coughing, sneezing, choking, sore throat and irritation to the nasal or respiratory tract.

INGESTION:

Corrosive! Ingestion may result in death. Swallowing may cause severe burns of mouth, throat, and stomach. Symptoms may include bleeding, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea. Asphyxia from throat swelling and perforations of the esophagus and/or stomach can occur.

SKIN CONTACT:

Corrosive! Causes severe irritation, redness, pain and burns. Concentrated solutions can cause deep ulcer and discolor skin.

EYE CONTACT:

Corrosive! Causes severe redness, pain, blurred vision, eye burns with possibility of permanent eye damage.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE:

May cause dermatitis and conjunctivitis. Dental erosion, tooth discoloration, nasal ulceration, laryngitis, bronchitis, pneumonia and gastrointestinal disturbances can occur. Long term exposures seldom occur due to the corrosive properties of the acid.

AGGRAVATION of PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS:

Persons with pre-existing skin disorders, eye problems or impaired respiratory function may be more susceptible to the effects of the substances.

NTP CARCINOGEN

KNOWN

ANTICIPATED

IARC CATAGORY

OSHA REGULATED

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YES

N/A

N/A

N/A

Hazard: Toxic/Oxidizer, Nitrates & Poisons

INHALATION:

Effects are expected to be less severe than for exposure to higher concentrations where symptoms include severe irritation to the respiratory tract with coughing, wheezing, shortness of breath, nausea and vomiting. May be absorbed into the body following inhalation, with symptoms paralleling those of ingestion exposure.

INGESTION:

Effects are expected to be less severe than for exposure to higher concentrations where symptoms include pain and burning in the mouth, blackening of the skin and mucous membranes, throat, abdomen, diarrhea and shock. Poison in higher concentrations.

SKIN CONTACT:

Effects are expected to be less severe than for exposure to higher concentrations where symptoms include redness, pain, irritation and burns.

EYE CONTACT:

Effects are expected to be less severe than for exposure to higher concentrations where symptoms include redness, pain, irritation, blurred vision and eye burns with possibility of permanent eye damage.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE:

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause symptoms that parallel those described above for inhalation, ingestion, skin contact and eye contact.

AGGRAVATION of PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS:

Persons with pre-existing skin disorders, eye problems, allergies or known sensitization may be more susceptible to the effects of the substances

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KNOWN

N/A

ANTICIPATED

N/A

IARC CATAGORY

N/A

OSHA REGULATED

YES

Hazard: Flammables

INHALATION:

Exposure may cause irritation to the mucous membranes of the upper respiratory tract. Prolonged exposures to high concentrations may cause drowsiness, loss of appetite and inability to concentrate.

INGESTION:

Cause headaches, gastritis, intoxication, blindness and, in acute cases, death.

SKIN CONTACT:

Causes skin irritation, cracking or flaking due to dehydration and defatting action.

EYE CONTACT:

Can cause eye irritation. Splashes may cause temporary pain and blurred vision.

CHRONIC EXPOSURE:

Prolonged skin contact causes drying and cracking of skin. May affect the nervous system. May affect liver, blood, reproductive system. Continued ingestion of small amounts could result in blindness.

AGGRAVATION of PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS:

Persons with pre-existing skin disorders or eye problems or impaired liver or kidney function may be more susceptible to the effects of the substance.

NTP CARCINOGEN

KNOWN

N/A

ANTICIPATED

N/A

IARC CATAGORY

N/A

OSHA REGULATED

YES

Hazard: Slight or Minimal, Miscellaneous

INHALATION:

May be harmful. May cause irritation to nasal membranes and respiratory tract.

INGESTION:

May be harmful. May cause nausea, vomiting, headache and diarrhea.

SKIN CONTACT:

May cause irritation.

EYE CONTACT:

May cause irritation.

POTENTIAL CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS:

Prolonged or repeated exposure may cause symptoms that parallel those described above for inhalation, ingestion, skin contact and eye contact.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED by EXPOSURE:

Persons with pre-existing skin disorders, eye problems, allergies or known sensitization may be more susceptible to the effects of the substances

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KNOWN

N/A

ANTICIPATED

N/A

IARC CATAGORY

N/A

OSHA REGULATED

YES

FIRST AID MEASURES

Hazard: Corrosive, Acids & Bases

INHALATION:

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Call a physician immediately.

INGESTION:

DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician immediately.

SKIN CONTACT:

In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes while removing contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Call a physician for medical advice.

EYE CONTACT:

Check for and remove contact lens. Immediately flush eyes with gentle but large stream of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. Call a physician immediately.

Hazard: Toxic/Oxidizer, Nitrates & Poisons

INHALATION:

Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Call a physician immediately.

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Hazard: Slight or Minimal, Miscellaneous

INHALATION:

Remove to fresh air if effects occur.

INGESTION:

DO NOT INDUCE VOMITING unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician for medical advice.

SKIN CONTACT:

Wash with mild soap and water. Get medical advice if irritation develops.

EYE CONTACT:

Immediately flush eyes with gentle but large stream of water for at least 15 minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally. Get medical advice if irritation develops.

FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE:

Flash Point: N/A Flammable Limits: N/A LEL: N/A UEL: N/A

EXPLOSION:

N/A - Use any means suitable for extinguishing surrounding fire.

SPECIAL INFORMATION:

N/A

NFPA RATINGS: Health: 3 Flammability: 3 Reactivity: 3

NOTE: The contents of this LabPags should not be a factor in a fire due to the extremely small quantities.

HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in a cool, dry, ventilated area away from flame, sources of ignition and heat. Keep containers tightly closed and upright. Protect from physical damage. Keep out of direct sunlight and separate from incompatible materials. Storage and use areas should be non-smoking. Dispose of waste materials or spills as directed in the Lab Manual.

PERSONAL PROTECTION

VENTILATION SYSTEM:

A system of local and/or general exhaust is recommended to keep exposures below the Airborne Exposure Limits.

PERSONAL RESPIRATORS (NIOSH) APPROVED:

N/A

SKIN PROTECTION:

Wear protective clothing, gloves, lab coat or apron, as appropriate, to prevent skin contact.

EYE PROTECTION:

Use chemical safety glasses or goggles.

PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE:	N/A
ODOR:	N/A
SOLUBILITY:	N/A
SPECIFIC GRAVITY:	N/A
pH:	N/A
% VOLATILES by VOLUME:	N/A
BOILING POINT:	N/A
MELTING POINT:	N/A
VAPOR DENSITY (Air =1):	N/A
VAPOR PRESSURE (mm Hg):	N/A
EVAPORATION RATE (BuAc=1):	N/A

STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY:

Stable under ordinary conditions of use and storage

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

N/A

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:

N/A

INCOMPATIBILITIES:

No chemicals should be mixed or used other than as directed in the Lab Manual which accompanies the LabPag.

CONDITIONS to AVOID:

Heat, flames, ignition sources and incompatibles

OTHER INFORMATION

TRANSPORT (Land, DOT):

Small Quantity Exception. Complies with 49 CFR 173.4 and IATA 2.7

PRODUCT USE:

Laboratory Reagent

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