

Safety Data Sheet

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

Identification of the substance or mixture

Product code Q32852COMPONENTA
Product name Qubit® RNA Reagent *200X concentrate in DMSO*

Company/undertaking identification

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24 hour Emergency Response for Hazardous Materials Within the USA + Canada: 1-800-424-9300 and +1
[or Dangerous Goods] Incident. Spill, Leak, Fire, 703-527-3887
Exposure, or Accident. Call CHEMTREC Outside the USA + Canada: +1 703-741-5970

Country Specific Emergency Number (if available):

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

GHS - Classification

Signal Word
WARNING

Hazard pictograms

None

Health hazards
Not Hazardous

Physical hazards

GHS Physical Hazard	Flammable liquids
GHS Physical Hazard Category Number	Category 4

Environmental hazards

Not Hazardous

Hazard Statements

H227 - Combustible liquid

Precautionary Statements**Prevention**

P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

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

Response

P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam for extinction

Storage

P403 - Store in a well-ventilated place

Disposal

P501 - Dispose of contents/ container to an approved waste disposal plant

Other hazards

Not Applicable

HMIS

Health	1
Flammability	2
Reactivity	0

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Component	CAS-No	Common name	EINECS-No	Weight %
dimethylsulfoxide 67-68-5 (95-100)	67-68-5	-	200-664-3	95-100

We recommend handling all chemicals with caution.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

Skin contact	Rinse with plenty of water. Immediate medical attention is not required.
Eye contact	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
Ingestion	Not expected to present a significant ingestion hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
Inhalation	Not expected to be an inhalation hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use of this material. Consult a physician if necessary.
Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media
Unsuitable extinguishing media

Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO₂). Foam. Dry chemical.
No information available.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

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Advice for fire-fighters

Standard procedure for chemical fires.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area)

Use personal protection equipment

See Section 8 for more detail

Environmental precautions

No special environmental precautions required.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material.

Reference to other sections

See section 8 for more information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling

Use personal protective equipment as required. No special handling advices are necessary.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers.

Specific end use(s)

For research use only.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Control parameters

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	OSHA PEL (Ceiling)	ACGIH OEL (TWA)	ACGIH OEL (STEL)
dimethylsulfoxide	None	None	None	None

Chemical Name	Brazil - OEL - TWAs (LTs)	Brazil - OEL - Ceilings	Brazil - OEL - Skin Designations
dimethylsulfoxide	None	None	None

Engineering measures Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Exposure controls

Personal Protective Equipment

Respiratory protection In case of insufficient ventilation wear respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

Hand protection Wear suitable gloves. Glove material: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

Eye protection Tight sealing safety goggles.

Skin and Body Protection Wear suitable protective clothing.

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice

Environmental exposure controls

No special environmental precautions required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	liquid	
Odor	No data available	
pH	6-8	
Melting point / melting range	°C 18 - 19	°F 64.4 - 66.2
Boiling point / boiling range	°C 188 - 190	°F 370 - 374
Flash point	°C 87 - 89	°F 188.6 - 192.2
Autoignition Temperature	°C 214 - 216	°F 417.2 - 420.8
Decomposition temperature	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
Evaporation rate	No data	
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	
Upper explosion limit	61% - 64%	
Lower explosion limit	2.4% - 2.8%	
Vapor Pressure	Mixture has not been tested	
Relative density	Mixture has not been tested	
Specific gravity	No data	
Solubility	No data available	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available	
Viscosity	No data	
Explosive properties	Mixture has not been tested	
Oxidizing properties	No data	

Other information

No data available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity	None known.
Chemical stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous reaction has not been reported.
Conditions to avoid	No information available.
Incompatible materials	Strong acids. Strong oxidizing agents.
Hazardous decomposition products	No data available.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Chemical Name	LD50 (oral, rat/mouse)	LD50 (dermal, rat/rabbit)	LC50 (inhalation, rat/mouse)
dimethylsulfoxide	14500 mg/kg Oral LD50	>40000 mg/kg bw	>5000 mg/l

Principal Routes of Exposure

Skin corrosion/irritation	Mild skin irritant Mild eye irritation Components of the product may be absorbed into the body through the skin.
Serious eye damage/irritation	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Respiratory or skin sensitization	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – single exposure	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – repeated exposure	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Carcinogenicity	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Germ cell mutagenicity	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Reproductive toxicity	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Aspiration hazard	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Toxicity

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

Chemical Name	Freshwater Algae Data	Water Flea Data	Freshwater Fish Species Data	Microtox Data	log Pow
dimethylsulfoxide	Skeletonema costatum EC5012350 - 25500 mg/L (96 h)	Daphnia species EC50=7000 mg/L (24 h)	No data available	No data available	logPow-2.03

Persistence and degradability Inherently biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential Material does not bioaccumulate.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be a PBT or a vPvB.

Other adverse effects No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in according to approved disposal technique. Disposal of this product, its solutions or of any by-products, shall comply with the requirements of all applicable local, regional or national/federal regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

IATA / ADR / DOT-US / IMDG

Not classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations

UN number	Not Applicable
UN proper shipping name	Not Applicable
Transport hazard class(es)	Not Applicable
Packing group	Not Applicable

Environmental hazards

Not Applicable

Special precautions for user

Not Applicable

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not Applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Component	US TSCA
dimethylsulfoxide 67-68-5 (95-100)	Listed

US Federal Regulations

SARA 313

This product is not regulated by SARA.

Clean Air Act, Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) (see 40 CFR 61)

This product does not contains HAPs.

US State Regulations

California Proposition 65

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

WHMIS Hazard Class

B3 - Combustible liquid



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

National Regulations - Brazil

Chemical Name	CAS-No	Brazil - National Agency for Sanitary Surveillance (ANVISA)	Brazil - National List of Carcinogen Agents to Humans (LINACH)
dimethylsulfoxide	67-68-5	Not Listed	Not Listed

SECTION 16: Other information

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References

- ECHA: <http://echa.europa.eu/>
- TOXNET: <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/>
- eChemPortal: <http://www.echemportal.org/>
- LOLI database: <https://www.chemadvisor.com/loli-database>

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