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#### 1 Identification of substance:

- · Product name: Minimal Agar Davis
- · Catalog number: 254410
- · Manufacturer/Supplier:

BD Diagnostic Systems

7 Loveton Circle

Sparks, MD 21152

Tel: (410) 771-0100 or (800) 638-8663

- · Information department: Technical Services
- · Emergency information:

In case of a chemical emergency, spill, fire, exposure, or accident contact BD Diagnostic Systems at (410)771-0100 or (800)638-8663, or ChemTrec at (800)424-9300.

#### 2 Composition/Data on components:

- · Chemical characterization
- · Description: Mixture consisting of the following components.

· Dangerous components:		
7783-20-2	ammonium sulfate	3.77%
68-04-2	Sodium citrate	1.9%

#### 3 Hazards identification

· Hazard description:



Xi Irritant

- · Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment
- R 36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.
- · Classification system

The classification was made according to the latest editions of international substances lists, and expanded upon from company and literature data.

· NFPA ratings (scale 0-4)



Health = 1 Fire = 0Reactivity = 0

#### 4 First aid measures

- · General information No special measures required.
- · After inhalation Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- · After skin contact Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- · After eye contact Rinse opened eye for 15 minutes under running water. Then consult a doctor.

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· After swallowing If symptoms persist consult doctor.

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#### 5 Fire fighting measures

· Suitable extinguishing agents

CO2, ABC multipurpose dry chemical or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

· Protective equipment: No special measures required.

#### 6 Accidental release measures

- · Person-related safety precautions: Not required.
- · Measures for environmental protection: Wipe up with damp sponge or mop.
- · Measures for cleaning/collecting: No special measures required.
- · Additional information: No dangerous substances are released.

#### 7 Handling and storage

- · Handling
- · Information for safe handling: No special measures required.
- · Information about protection against explosions and fires: No special measures required.
- · Storage
- Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: < 30 C
- · Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from oxidizing agents.
- · Further information about storage conditions: None.

#### 8 Exposure controls and personal protection

- · Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.
- · Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

- · Additional information: The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.
- · Personal Protective Equipment
- · General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures for handling chemicals should be followed.



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 $\cdot \textit{Body protection:} \ \textit{Protective work clothing (lab coat)}.$ 

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#### 12 Ecological information:

- · Ecotoxical effects:
- · Other information:

The ecological effects have not been thoroughly investigated, but currently none have been identified.

· General notes: Generally not hazardous for water.

#### 13 Disposal considerations

- · Product:
- · Recommendation

Smaller quantities can be disposed of with solid waste.

Dispose of material in accordance with federal (40 CFR 261), state and local requirements.

This product is not considered a RCRA hazardous waste.

- · Uncleaned packagings:
- Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to state and federal regulations.
- · Recommended cleansing agent: Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

#### 14 Transport information

- · DOT regulations:
- · Hazard class:
- · Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)
- · ADR/RID class:
- · Maritime transport IMDG:
- · IMDG Class:
- · Marine pollutant: No
- · Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:
- · ICAO/IATA Class: -

#### 15 Regulations

· SARA Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listings)

7783-20-2 ammonium sulfate

· TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act)

All ingredients are listed.

· California Proposition 65 - Chemicals known to cause cancer



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· Carcinogenicity categories

· IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· NTP (National Toxicology Program)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· TLV (Threshold Limit Value established by ACGIH)

None of the ingredients is listed.

· Product related hazard information:

Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals

The product has been classified and marked in accordance with regulations on hazardous materials.

· Hazard symbols:

Xi Irritant

· Hazard-determining components of labeling:

Sodium citrate ammonium sulfate

· Risk phrases:

36/37/38 Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

- · Safety phrases:
- 7 Keep container tightly closed.
- 22 Do not breathe dust.
- 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- 36 Wear suitable protective clothing.

#### 16 Other information:

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