Bile Esculin Azide Agar

Safety Data Sheet

According REACH Regulation 1907/2006 as retained in UK law by UK REACH SI 2019 No. 758 as amended
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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	:	Mixture
Trade name	:	Bile Esculin Azide Agar
Product code	:	NCM0166
Type of product	:	Food Safety -- [Food Safety]
Part Number(s)	:	700003456|NCM0166A|700003457|NCM0166B|700003458|NCM0166C|NCM0166

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

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Use of the substance/mixture	:	Laboratory chemicals Scientific research and development

1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer
Neogen Corporation
620 Lesher Place
48912 Lansing – Michigan
United States of America
T 800.234.5333
sds@neogen.com - https://www.neogen.com/

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number	:	24 hours: Medical: 1-800-498-5743 (U.S. and Canada) or 1-651-523-0318 (international) Spill/CHEMTREC: 1-800-424-9300 (U.S. and Canada) or 1-703-527-3887 (international)

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2019:720 as amended)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Chronic Hazard, Category 3 H412
Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to GB CLP (SI 2019:720 as amended)

Hazard statements (GB CLP)	:	H412 - Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
Precautionary statements (GB CLP)	:	P273 - Avoid release to the environment. P501 - Dispose of contents and container to a hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and international regulations.

2.3. Other hazards

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Component	
Substance(s) not meeting the PBT criteria of UK REACH regulation, in accordance with Annex XIII	Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5), Sodium azide (26628-22-8)

Component	
Substance(s) not meeting the vPvB criteria of UK REACH regulation, in accordance with Annex XIII	Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5), Sodium azide (26628-22-8)

Results of Endocrine Disruptor assessment

Component	
Substance(s) not considered as endocrine disrupting. They are not included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of UK REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, nor identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in GB BPR and GB PPP	Ferric ammonium citrate(1185-57-5), Sodium azide(26628-22-8)

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to GB CLP (SI 2019:720 as amended)
Ferric ammonium citrate substance with workplace exposure limit(s)	CAS-No.: 1185-57-5 EC-No.: 214-686-6	0.5 – 1	Not classified
Sodium azide substance with workplace exposure limit(s)	CAS-No.: 26628-22-8 EC-No.: 247-852-1	0.1 – 0.5	Acute Tox. 2 (Oral), H300 (ATE=27 mg/kg bodyweight) Acute Tox. 1 (Dermal), H310 (ATE=20 mg/kg bodyweight) Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:dust,mist), H330 (ATE=0.285 mg/l/4h) STOT RE 1, H372 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

Full text of H- and EUH-statements: see section 16

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

No additional information available

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

No additional information available

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

No additional information available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

No additional information available

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

5.3. Advice for firefighters

No additional information available

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

No additional information available

6.1.2. For emergency responders

No additional information available

6.2. Environmental precautions

No additional information available

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

No additional information available

6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

No additional information available

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage temperature : 2 – 30 °C

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits	
WEL TWA (OEL TWA)	1 mg/m³
WEL STEL (OEL STEL)	2 mg/m³

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Sodium azide
WEL TWA (OEL TWA)	0.1 mg/m³ (as NaN3)
WEL STEL (OEL STEL)	0.3 mg/m³ (as NaN3)

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
Remark	Sk (Can be absorbed through the skin. The assigned substances are those for which there are concerns that dermal absorption will lead to systemic toxicity)
Regulatory reference	EH40/2005 (Fourth edition, 2020). HSE

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

No additional information available

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

No additional information available

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

No additional information available

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

No additional information available

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

No additional information available

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	:	Solid
Appearance	:	Powder.
Odour	:	Characteristic.
Odour threshold	:	Not available
pH	:	6.9 – 7.3
pH solution	:	Not available
Melting point	:	Not available
Freezing point	:	Not available
Boiling point	:	Not available
Flash point	:	Not applicable
Flammability	:	Not available
Explosive limits	:	Not applicable
Vapour pressure	:	Not available
Vapour pressure at 50°C	:	Not available
Relative vapour density at 20°C	:	Not applicable
Relative density	:	Not available
Density	:	Not available
Solubility	:	Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	:	Not available

Auto-ignition temperature	:	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature	:	Not available
Viscosity, kinematic	:	Not applicable
Explosive properties	:	Not available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No additional information available

10.2. Chemical stability

No additional information available

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No additional information available

10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No additional information available

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral)	:	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (dermal)	:	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	:	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
LD50 oral rat	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 401 (Acute Oral Toxicity), Guideline: other:
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 7940 mg/kg Source: ECHA

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
LD50 oral rat	27 mg/kg bodyweight (Rat, Experimental value, Oral)
LD50 oral	45 mg/kg
LD50 dermal rabbit	19 – 48 mg/kg bodyweight (Rabbit, Inconclusive, insufficient data, Dermal)
LD50 dermal	20 mg/kg
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	0.05 – 0.52 mg/l (EPA OPPTS 870.1300: Acute Inhalation Toxicity, 4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation (dust), 14 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat (Dust/Mist)	0.054 – 0.52 mg/l/4h

Skin corrosion/irritation	:	Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met) pH: 6.9 – 7.3

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
pH	6 – 8 Source: ECHA

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
pH	No data available in the literature

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
pH: 6.9 – 7.3

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
pH	6 – 8 Source: ECHA

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
pH	No data available in the literature

Respiratory or skin sensitisation : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Carcinogenicity : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
NOAEL (animal/male, F0/P)	595.9 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Animal sex: male, Guideline: other:

STOT-single exposure : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
NOAEL (oral, rat, 28 days)	10 mg/kg bw/day
STOT-repeated exposure	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.

Aspiration hazard : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
Viscosity, kinematic	Not applicable (solid)

Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short–term (acute) : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long–term (chronic) : Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	> 100 mg/l (OECD 203: Fish, Acute Toxicity Test, 96 h, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
LC50 - Fish [2]	> 100 mg/l Test organisms (species): other:
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	275 mg/l (48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	> 100 mg/l Test organisms (species): other:
ErC50 algae	> 100 mg/l (OECD 201: Alga, Growth Inhibition Test, 72 h, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value)

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
LC50 - Fish [1]	2.75 – 3.28 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 203, 96 h, Oncorhynchus mykiss, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	4.2 mg/l
EC50 - Other aquatic organisms [1]	5 mg/l Test organisms (species): Gammarus fasciatus
EC50 96h - Algae [1]	0.35 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 201, Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Cell numbers)
ErC50 algae	0.348 mg/l

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Bile Esculin Azide Agar	
Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability: not applicable.
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	Not applicable (inorganic)
ThOD	Not applicable (inorganic)

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.737 (Calculated, 25 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.16 Source: NIOSH
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	
Ecology - soil	No (test)data on mobility of the substance available.

Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	
Surface tension	No data available (test not performed)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	2.63 (log Koc, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Low potential for adsorption in soil.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Component	
Ferric ammonium citrate (1185-57-5)	This substance does not meet the PBT criteria of UK REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance does not meet the vPvB criteria of UK REACH regulation, annex XIII
Sodium azide (26628-22-8)	This substance does not meet the PBT criteria of UK REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance does not meet the vPvB criteria of UK REACH regulation, annex XIII

12.6. Other adverse effects

Ozone : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

HP Code : HP6 - “Acute Toxicity:” waste which can cause acute toxic effects following oral or dermal administration, or inhalation exposure.
HP12 - “Release of an acute toxic gas:” waste which releases acute toxic gases (Acute Tox. 1, 2 or 3) in contact with water or an acid
HP14 - “Ecotoxic:” waste which presents or may present immediate or delayed risks for one or more sectors of the environment

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number				
Not regulated for transport				
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
Transport document description				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.4. Packing group				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
14.5. Environmental hazards				
Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated	Not regulated
No supplementary information available				

14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport
Not regulated

Transport by sea
Not regulated

Air transport
Not regulated

Inland waterway transport
Not regulated

Rail transport
Not regulated

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

15.1.1. National regulations

UK REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on UK REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List) equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure

UK REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on UK REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List) equal to or above the 0.1% level of disclosure

UK REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on the UK REACH Candidate List (SVHC).

GB PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on the GB PIC List equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on the GB POP List equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure

Ozone Regulation (S.I. No. 168 of 2015)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on the GB Ozone Depletion List equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure

Control of Poisons and Explosives Precursors Act

This product contains no substance(s) listed as a reportable poison on the Control of Poisons and Explosives Precursors Regulations equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure
This product contains no substance(s) listed as a regulated poison on the Control of Poisons and Explosives Precursors Regulations equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure
This product contains no substance(s) listed as a reportable explosive precursor on the Control of Poisons and Explosives Precursors Regulations equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure
This substance is not listed as a regulated poison on the Control of Poisons and Explosives Precursors Regulations

Drug Precursors Regulation (EC 273/2004)

This product contains no substance(s) listed on the GB Drug Precursors List equal to or above the level of SDS disclosure

15.1.2. Other Information

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Acute Tox. 1 (Dermal)	Acute toxicity (dermal), Category 1
Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation:dust,mist)	Acute toxicity (inhalation:dust,mist) Category 2
Acute Tox. 2 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 2
Acute Tox. 4 (Inhalation:dust,mist)	Acute toxicity (inhalation:dust,mist) Category 4
Aquatic Acute 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Acute Hazard, Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 1	Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Chronic Hazard, Category 1
Aquatic Chronic 3	Hazardous to the aquatic environment – Chronic Hazard, Category 3
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Skin Corr. 1	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1
STOT RE 1	Specific target organ toxicity – Repeated exposure, Category 1

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
H300	Fatal if swallowed.
H310	Fatal in contact with skin.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H330	Fatal if inhaled.
H332	Harmful if inhaled.
H372	Causes damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
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.

Safety Data Sheet (SDS), UK

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.