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

### 1.1. Product identifier

Microvettes 500 / Multivettes 600 LH-Gel

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

## Use of the substance/mixture

For plasma separation.

### Uses advised against

Observe the instructions for use and handling.

#### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer

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1.4. Emergency telephone Call NHS 111 or a doctor (public). NPIS: 0344 892 0111 (healthcare

number: professionals).

## **Further Information**

All information in this safety data sheet refers to the unused product and its preparation.

### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

### **GB CLP Regulation**

Resp. Sens. 1; H334 Skin Sens. 1; H317

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

## 2.2. Label elements

## **GB CLP Regulation**

### Hazard components for labelling

Lithium heparin

Signal word: Danger



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### Pictograms:



#### **Hazard statements**

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

## **Precautionary statements**

P261 Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

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

protection.

P284 Wear respiratory protection.

P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of Water.

P321 Specific treatment (see Precautionary statements on this label).
P333+P313 If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. P342+P311 If experiencing respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

P501 Dispose of contents/container to waste disposal site according to legal regulations.

### Additional advice on labelling

none

#### 2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

### **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

# 3.2. Mixtures

### **Chemical characterization**

The article contains separating gel and lithium heparin (up to 40 I.U.). Depending on the article, a mixing aid may be included.

## **Hazardous components**

CAS No	Chemical name				
	EC No	Index No	REACH No		
	Classification (GB CLF	Regulation)	·		
9045-22-1	Lithium heparin				
	232-681-7				
	Resp. Sens. 1, Skin Se	ens. 1; H334 H317			
872-50-4	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone				
	212-828-1	606-021-00-7			
	Repr. 1B, Skin Irrit. 2, Eye Irrit. 2, STOT SE 3; H360D H315 H319 H335				

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



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Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE

CAS No	EC No	Chemical name	Quantity	
	Specific Conc. L	Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE		
9045-22-1	232-681-7	Lithium heparin	1 - < 5 %	
	oral: LD50 = 1950 mg/kg			
872-50-4	212-828-1	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone	< 1 %	
	inhalation: LC50 = 5,1 mg/l (dusts or mists); dermal: LD50 = >5000 mg/kg; oral: LD50 = 4150 mg/kg STOT SE 3; H335: >= 10 - 100			

### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

## 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### After inhalation

Provide fresh air. If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration. Medical treatment necessary.

#### After contact with skin

After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water and soap. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

### After contact with eyes

After contact with the eyes, rinse with water with the eyelids open for a sufficient length of time, then consult an ophthalmologist immediately.

#### After ingestion

If accidentally swallowed rinse the mouth with plenty of water (only if the person is conscious) and obtain immediate medical attention. The mixing aid itself can cause a blockage in the stomach and intestines. Do not give laxatives. Do not induce vomiting unless medically instructed to do so.

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

No information available.

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

Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

### Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In case of fire, the smoke may contain, in addition to the base material, combustion products with not definable toxic and / or irritant compositions. Combustion products may i.a. contain: carbon dioxide. Carbon monoxide.

### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

### Additional information

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

## **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

## 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

### General advice

Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray. Use personal protection equipment. Observe the instructions for use and handling. Wear suitable protective gloves when taking blood samples and handling potentially infectious material.



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### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

#### Other information

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents). Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal. Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents) or take up mechanically.

### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

# **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

#### Advice on safe handling

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray. Observe the instructions for use and handling.

#### Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

### Advice on general occupational hygiene

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme. Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

### Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep container tightly closed.

### Hints on joint storage

No special measures are necessary.

### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

For plasma separation.

## **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1. Control parameters

## **Exposure limits (EH40)**

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m³	fibres/ml	Category	Origin
872-50-4	1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone	10	40		TWA (8 h)	WEL
		20	80		STEL (15 min)	WEL

### 8.2. Exposure controls





### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

### Eye/face protection

Wear eye protection.



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### Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves. Wear suitable protective gloves when taking blood samples and handling potentially infectious material.

### Skin protection

Use of protective clothing.

### Respiratory protection

Not required if used as intended.

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Separating gel: pasty / liquid

Colour: white / colourless
Odour: characteristic

Melting point/freezing point:

No data available
Boiling point or initial boiling point and

No data available

boiling range:

Flammability: No data available No data available Lower explosion limits: Upper explosion limits: No data available No data available Flash point: No data available Auto-ignition temperature: Decomposition temperature: No data available pH-Value: No data available Water solubility: Preparation partially soluble

Solubility in other solvents

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:

Vapour pressure:

Density:

No data available

Relative vapour density:

No data available

### 9.2. Other information

## Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Explosive properties

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Self-ignition temperature

Solid: No data available Gas: No data available

Oxidizing properties

There are no data available on the mixture itself.

Other safety characteristics

Evaporation rate:

Solid content:

No data available

No data available

## **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

### 10.1. Reactivity

No data available.



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### 10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heating.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agents. Fluorine. Acids. Alkalis (alkalis).

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

No data available.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

### 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in GB CLP Regulation

#### **Acute toxicity**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

CAS No	Chemical name							
	Exposure route	Dose		Species	Source	Method		
9045-22-1	Lithium heparin							
	oral	LD50 mg/kg	1950	Rat	ChemIDplus - Database			
872-50-4	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone							
	oral	LD50 mg/kg	4150	Rat	(external safety data sheet)	OECD 401		
	dermal	LD50 mg/kg	>5000	Rat	(external safety data sheet)	OECD 402		
	inhalation (4 h) dust/mist	LC50	5,1 mg/l	Rat	(external safety data sheet)	OECD 403		

### Irritation and corrosivity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Sensitising effects

May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled. (Lithium heparin)

May cause an allergic skin reaction. (Lithium heparin)

### Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

#### STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### **Aspiration hazard**

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

### Additional information on tests

The mixture is classified as hazardous according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP].

### 11.2. Information on other hazards

## **Endocrine disrupting properties**

No data available

# **SECTION 12: Ecological information**



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### 12.1. Toxicity

The mixing aid itself can cause mechanical side effects in water birds or aquatic life if swallowed.

CAS No	Chemical name						
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose		[h]   [d]	Species	Source	Method
872-50-4	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone						
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	>500		Oncorhynchus mykiss (Rainbow trout)	(external safety data sheet)	
	Acute algae toxicity	ErC50 mg/l	672,8		Desmodesmus subspicatus (green alga)	(external safety data sheet)	DIN 38412
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 mg/l	ca. 4897		Daphnia magna (Big water flea)	(external safety data sheet)	
	Crustacea toxicity	NOEC mg/l	12,5		Daphnia magna (Big water flea)	(external safety data sheet)	OECD 211

### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product is expected to be environmentally inert. In sunlight, a photochemical degradation of the surface is expected. Significant biodegradation is not expected.

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Method	Value	d	Source	
	Evaluation				
872-50-4	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone				
	OECD 301C aerob	73 %	21		
	Readily biodegradable.				

## 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

The product has not been tested.

## Partition coefficient n-octanol/water

CAS No	Chemical name	Log Pow
872-50-4	N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone	-0,46

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

The product has not been tested.

## 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to UK REACH.

The product has not been tested.

## 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

The product has not been tested.

### 12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

### **Further information**

Avoid release to the environment.

## **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

## 13.1. Waste treatment methods

## **Disposal recommendations**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.



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### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1. UN number or ID number:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.2. UN proper shipping name:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.3. Transport hazard class(es):No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.4. Packing group:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

14.1. UN number or ID number:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.2. UN proper shipping name:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.3. Transport hazard class(es):No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.4. Packing group:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Marine transport (IMDG)

14.1. UN number or ID number:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.2. UN proper shipping name:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.3. Transport hazard class(es):No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.4. Packing group:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

14.1. UN number or ID number:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.2. UN proper shipping name:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.3. Transport hazard class(es):No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.14.4. Packing group:No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.

14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS: No

14.6. Special precautions for user

No information available.

### 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

not applicable

# **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

#### **EU** regulatory information

Authorisations (REACH, annex XIV):

Substances of very high concern, SVHC (REACH, article 59):

N-methyl-2-pyrrolidone; 1-methyl-2-pyrrolidone

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 3, Entry 30, Entry 75

2010/75/EU (VOC): 0,293 % 2004/42/EC (VOC): 0,293 %

Information according to 2012/18/EU

(SEVESO III):

Not subject to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III)

# National regulatory information

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile

work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).

Water hazard class (D): 1 - slightly hazardous to water

Skin resorption/Sensitization: Causes allergic hypersensitivity reactions.

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.



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#### **SECTION 16: Other information**

## Changes

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 2,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,15.

First issue.

### Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route

(European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

**ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances** 

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%

LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

CLP: Classification, labelling and Packaging

REACH: Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Chemicals

**UN: United Nations** 

DNFL: Derived No Effect Level DMEL: Derived Minimal Effect Level PNEC: Predicted No Effect Concentration

ATE: Acute toxicity estimate LL50: Lethal loading, 50% EL50: Effect loading, 50%

EC50: Effective Concentration 50%

ErC50: Effective Concentration 50%, growth rate NOEC: No Observed Effect Concentration

BCF: Bio-concentration factor

PBT: persistent, bioaccumulative, toxic vPvB: very persistent, very bioaccumulative

RID: Regulations concerning the international carriage of dangerous goods by rail

ADN: European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways (Accord européen relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par voies de navigation intérieures)

EmS: Emergency Schedules MFAG: Medical First Aid Guide

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

MARPOL: International Convention for the Prevention of Marine Pollution from Ships

IBC: Intermediate Bulk Container SVHC: Substance of Very High Concern VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds

For abbreviations and acronyms, see table at http://abbrev.esdscom.eu

### Classification for mixtures and used evaluation method according to GB CLP Regulation

Classification	Classification procedure		
Resp. Sens. 1; H334	Calculation method		
Skin Sens. 1; H317	Calculation method		

### Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

H315	Causes skin irritation.
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H319	Causes serious eve irritation.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.



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H335 May cause respiratory irritation. H360D May damage the unborn child.

## **Further Information**

The information is based on the present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurance of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights. The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.

(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)