

# Safety Data Sheet

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

### Identification of the substance or mixture

**Product code** 1861426  
**Product name** Pierce(R) 660nm Protein Assay Reagent, 450 mL.

### Company/undertaking identification

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

**Country Specific Emergency Number (if available):**

**Use as laboratory reagent**  
**Scientific research and development**

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### GHS - Classification

**Signal Word**  
WARNING

**Hazard pictograms**

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**Health hazards**

Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – single exposure	Category 2
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**Physical hazards**

Not classified

**Environmental hazards**

Not classified

**Hazard Statements**

H371 - May cause damage to organs

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

P260 - Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray  
P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product  
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling

**Response**

P308 + P311 - IF exposed or concerned: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor

**Storage**

Not Applicable

**Disposal**

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

**Other hazards**

Not Applicable

**HMIS**

Health	2 * Chronic Hazard
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0

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### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Component	CAS No.	Common name	EINECS-No	Weight-%
Methyl alcohol 67-56-1 ( 3-5 )	67-56-1	-	200-659-6	3-5

We recommend handling all chemicals with caution.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Remove and wash contaminated clothing and gloves, including the inside, before re-use. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.

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

H371 - May cause damage to organs

#### 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 (CO<sub>2</sub>). Foam. Dry chemical.  
No information available.

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

Not known.

#### Advice for fire-fighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation  
Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing  
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

Always wear recommended Personal Protective Equipment. See Section 8 for more detail. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Do not ingest. If during normal use the material presents a respiratory hazard, use only with adequate ventilation or wear appropriate respirator.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labeled containers. Store in accordance with local regulations.

### Specific end use(s)

Use as laboratory reagent. Scientific research and development.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

Chemical Name	OSHA PEL	OSHA PEL (Ceiling)	ACGIH OEL (TWA)	ACGIH OEL (STEL)
Methyl alcohol	200 ppm 260 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None	200 ppm	250 ppm

Chemical Name	Brazil - OEL - TWAs (LTs)	Brazil - OEL - Ceilings	Brazil - OEL - Skin Designations
Methyl alcohol	156 ppm 200 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	None	skin designation

**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.

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<b>Hand protection</b>	Glove material: Nitrile rubber. with thickness (mm) :5. Break through time. (hours) :1. Recommended glove type has not been tested for use with product. Information is based on professional Knowledge.
<b>Eye protection</b>	Tight sealing safety goggles.
<b>Skin and Body Protection</b>	Wear laboratory coat for body protection.
<b>Hygiene Measures</b>	Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice
<b>Environmental exposure controls</b>	No special environmental precautions required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Appearance</b>	liquid	
<b>Color</b>	red brown	
<b>Odor</b>	Alcohol	
<b>Odor Threshold</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>pH</b>	2.3-2.7	
<b>Melting point / melting range</b>	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
<b>Flash point</b>	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data	
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not Applicable	
<b>Upper explosion limit</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Lower explosion limit</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Vapor Pressure</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Relative density</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Specific gravity</b>	No data	
<b>Solubility</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	No data	
<b>Viscosity</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Mixture has not been tested	
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	Mixture has not been tested	

**Other information**  
No data.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	None known.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	Hazardous reaction has not been reported.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	None known.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No known hazardous decomposition products.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Information on toxicological effects

Chemical Name	LD50 (oral, rat/mouse)	LD50 (dermal, rat/rabbit)	LC50 (inhalation, rat/mouse)
Methyl alcohol	= 6200 mg/kg (Rat)	No data available	=64000ppm(Rat) =22500ppm(Rat)

### Principal Routes of Exposure

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Serious eye damage/irritation</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitization</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – single exposure</b>	Target organ(s): Central Nervous System (CNS) eyes Heart Kidney Liver Respiratory system
<b>Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – repeated exposure</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### Ecotoxicity

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Chemical Name	Freshwater Algae Data	Water Flea Data	Freshwater Fish Species Data	Microtox Data	log Pow
Methyl alcohol	No data available	No data available	No data available	No data available	logPow-0.77

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No information available.

### 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 regulated in the meaning of transport regulations

<b>UN number</b>	Not Applicable
<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Packing group</b>	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.

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

Component	US TSCA
Methyl alcohol 67-56-1 ( 3-5 )	Listed

**US Federal Regulations****SARA 313**

This product contains the following toxic chemical(s) subject to the notification requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986. This law requires certain manufacturers to report on annual emissions of specified chemicals and chemical categories. Please note that if you repackage, or otherwise redistribute, this product to industrial customers, a notice similar to this one should be sent to those customers.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Weight-%</u>	<u>SARA 313 - Threshold Values</u>
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	3-5	1.0

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

This product contains the following HAPs

<u>Component</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Weight-%</u>	<u>HAPS data</u>
Methyl alcohol 67-56-1 ( 3-5 )	67-56-1	3-5	Present

**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product contains the following Proposition 65 chemicals.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Weight-%</u>	<u>Category</u>
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	3-5	Developmental

**WHMIS Hazard Class**

Non-controlled

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**

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS No.</u>	<u>Brazil - National Agency for Sanitary Surveillance (ANVISA)</u>	<u>Brazil - National List of Carcinogen Agents to Humans (LINACH)</u>
Methyl alcohol	67-56-1	Not Listed	Not Listed

## SECTION 16: Other information

<b>Reason for revision</b>	SDS sections updated.
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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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