

Safety Data Sheet

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

Identification of the substance or mixture

Product code 1863381
Product name Pierce Rapid Gold BCA, Protein Assay Reagent A

Company/undertaking identification

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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

**Health hazards**

Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A
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Physical hazards

GHS Physical Hazard	Flammable liquids
GHS Physical Hazard Category Number	Category 3

Environmental hazards

Not classified

Hazard Statements

H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor
H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

Precautionary Statements**Prevention**

P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking
P241 - Use explosion-proof electrical/ ventilating/ lighting/ equipment
P242 - Use non-sparking tools
P243 - Take action to prevent static discharges
P233 - Keep container tightly closed
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling

Response

P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
P305 + P351 + P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing
P337 + P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

Storage

P403 + P235 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

Disposal

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

Other hazards

Not Applicable

HMIS

Health	1
Flammability	3
Reactivity	0

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Component	CAS-No	EINECS-No	Weight %
Acetonitrile 75-05-8 (10-20)	75-05-8	200-835-2	10-20

We recommend handling all chemicals with caution.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

Description of first aid measures

Skin contact	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.
Eye contact	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Immediate medical attention is required.
Ingestion	Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
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

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 a laboratory reagent, for 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)
Acetonitrile	40 ppm 70 mg/m ³ 5 mg/m ³	None	20 ppm	None

Chemical Name	Brazil - OEL - TWAs (LTs)	Brazil - OEL - Ceilings	Brazil - OEL - Skin Designations
Acetonitrile	30 ppm 55 mg/m ³	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 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.

- Eye protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.
- Skin and Body Protection** Wear laboratory coat for body protection.
- 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	Mixture has not been tested	
Odor Threshold	Mixture has not been tested	
Melting point / melting range	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
Boiling point / boiling range	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
Flash point	°C 28.89	°F 84
Autoignition Temperature	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
Decomposition temperature	°C Mixture has not been tested	°F Mixture has not been tested
Evaporation rate	No data available	
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Applicable	
Upper explosion limit	Mixture has not been tested	
Lower explosion limit	Mixture has not been tested	
Vapor Pressure	Mixture has not been tested	
Relative density	Mixture has not been tested	
Specific gravity	No data available	
Solubility	Mixture has not been tested	
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available	
Viscosity	Mixture has not been tested	
Explosive properties	Mixture has not been tested	
Oxidizing properties	Mixture has not been tested	

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	Proximity to sources of ignition. High temperature.
Incompatible materials	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Hazardous decomposition products	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)
Acetonitrile	= 2460 mg/kg (Rat) = 160 mg/kg (Rat)	>2000 µL/kg (Rabbit)	8 h 7551 ppm (Rat)

Principal Routes of Exposure

Irritation	Irritating to eyes
Corrosivity	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Sensitization	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
STOT - Single Exposure	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
STOT - Repeated Exposure	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
Carcinogenicity	Conclusive but not sufficient for classification
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

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
Acetonitrile	No data available	Daphnia pulex EC50=5838 mg/L (18 h)	No data available	No data available	logPow-0.34

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 accordance with 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

Classified as dangerous in the meaning of transport regulations.

UN number	UN1993
UN proper shipping name	Flammable liquid, n.o.s.
Transport hazard class(es)	3
Packing group	III

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
Acetonitrile 75-05-8 (10-20)	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>
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	10-20	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>
Acetonitrile 75-05-8 (10-20)	75-05-8	10-20	Present Present (XCN where X=H or any other group where a formal dissociation may occur. For example KCN or Ca[CN]2)

US State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

WHMIS Hazard Class

B2 - Flammable liquid

D2B - Toxic materials



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>
Acetonitrile	75-05-8	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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