

BIOMERICA

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Section 1 - IDENTITY OF THE MANUFACTURER AND PRODUCT

PRODUCT IDENTITY: EZ Detect Positive Control
PRODUCT CODE #: 1000 / 1001 / 1002 / 9812

MANUFACTURER ADDRESS: 1533 Monrovia Ave.
Newport Beach, CA 92663
800 854-3002 FAX 714 722-6674

Telephone Number in Case of Emergency: 800 535-5053 - InfoTrac 24 hours

Section 2 - COMPOSITION AND INGREDIENT INFORMATION

Chemical Nature of the Preparation: Stable

Dangerous Substances in the Preparation: Sodium dichloroisocyanurate, dihydrate.

<u>Chemical</u>	<u>CAS#</u>	<u>EC #</u>	<u>Designation</u>	<u>% w/w</u>
Sodium dichloroisocyanurate	51580-86-0	220-767-7	chemical hazard	>99%

Section 3 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Chemical hazard:

The EZ Detect Positive Control packet contains 2 grams of Sodium dichloroisocyanurate, a common bactericide, algacide and sanitizer used in dry bleaches, dishwashing compounds and scouring powders. Avoid direct contact with the compound, as it is an irritant to the skin and mucous membranes. In case of contact, wash thoroughly with water; if ingested give water, DO NOT induce vomiting, consult a physician immediately.

Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

Skin Contact: Remove contaminated clothing and wash the exposed skin area thoroughly with soap and water.

Eye Contact: Flush with copious amounts of water for at least 20 minutes. Seek medical attention.

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air, give oxygen if breathing becomes difficult and seek medical attention.

Ingestion: Flush mouth with copious amounts of water and give water to drink, provided that the person is conscious and seek immediate medical attention.

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Section 5 -	FIRE AND EXPLOSION DATA
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Suitable Extinguishing Media:	Flood with copious amounts of water.
Extinguishing Media Not to be Used:	Fire extinguishers containing ammonium compounds.
Special Fire Fighting Procedures:	Wear NIOSH approved self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) when either in confined areas or exposed to combustion products. Use water to cool fire exposed containers.
Unusual Fire and Explosion Hazards:	Material does not burn but, at temperatures exceeding 240°C it can undergo a slow self-sustaining decomposition producing heat and toxic gases.
NFPA Rating:	Health: 2, Flammability: 0, Reactivity: 1. Special Hazard Warning: OXIDIZER

Section 6 -	MEASURES IN CASE OF ACCIDENTAL SPILL
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Body Precautions:	Wear gloves, impermeable shoe covers and a laboratory coat.
Environmental Precautions:	Contain the spill to the smallest area possible. Sweep up spill avoiding dust generation.
Cleaning Measures:	Take care not to contaminate body, avoid inhalation of dust. Dispose of all contaminated trash in accordance with local regulations.

Section 7 -	HANDLING AND STORAGE
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Handling:	Take care not to ingest or inhale.
Storage:	Store product at room temperature.

Section 8 -	EXPOSURE CONTROL AND PERSONAL PROTECTION
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Body Protection:	Not applicable.
Respiratory protection:	In case of fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
Hand Protection:	Avoid direct physical contact. Wear non-permeable rubber, neoprene, latex or nitrile disposable gloves.
Eyes Protection:	Avoid exposure to eyes.
Others:	None known.

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Section 9 -	PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS
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Physical State:	White granular solid.
Color:	White
Odor:	Slight chlorine odor.
pH:	6.0 – 6.5 (1% solution)
Boiling Point:	Not applicable
Melting Point:	Not applicable
Flash Point:	Not applicable.
Flammability:	Not Flammable.
Auto flammability:	Will not occur.
Vapor Pressure:	Not applicable.
Water Solubility:	25 g/100ml @ 30°C.

Section 10 -	STABILITY AND REACTIVITY DATA
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Stability:	Stable in Normal Conditions.
Conditions to Avoid:	None known.
Materials to Avoid:	Avoid exposure to strong acids and bases, reducing agents, organic compounds, oxidizers and nitrogen containing compounds.
Hazardous Decomposition Products:	Nitrogen trichloride, chlorine and carbon monoxide.

Section 11 -	TOXICOLOGY INFORMATION
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Effects of Dangerous Substances at the Concentrations Present in the Preparation:

<u>Acute Exposure:</u>	May cause corrosive burns to mucous membranes.
<u>Harmful Effects:</u>	Chemical hazard may cause irritation to the eye following optical exposure. Dermal exposure can cause severe irritation. Inhalation may cause irritation to the nose, mouth, throat and lungs. Ingestion may cause damage to the gastrointestinal tract.
<u>Sensitizing Effects:</u>	None known.

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Carcinogenic/Mutagenic/Teratogen Effects: None known.

Section 12 -	ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION
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Aquatic toxicity	96 Hour LC50 – Fish	0.22 mg/l (Rainbow trout) 0.28 mg/l (bluegill sunfish)
Avian toxicity	Acute oral LD50	730 mg/kg (Bobwhite quail) 3300 mg/kg (Mallard duck)
	Dietary LC50	>10,000 ppm (Mallard duck) >10,000 ppm (Bobwhite quail)

Section 13 -	DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS
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Disposal: Dispose according to current regional and national rules.

Section 14 -	TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION
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Road / Railway Haulage ADR/RID:	Not restricted.
Sea Freight IMO (IMDG):	Not restricted.
Air Freight IATA (ICAO):	Not restricted.
UN Number:	Not applicable.

Section 15 -	OTHER REGULATORY INFORMATION
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Classification: This preparation is classified and labeled according to EEC Directive n. 88/379.

Symbols of Danger: None.

"R" Phrases Indicating Specific Risks: Not available.

"S" Phrases Indicating Caution: Not available.

Section 16 -	OTHER INFORMATION
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Recommended Use: For in-vitro use as a positive control when using EZ Detect. Not for use on or in humans and animals.

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