

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Article
Product name : Sircol 2.0 Soluble Collagen Assay Kit
Product code : SIRC2
Type of product : Laboratory testing kit containing dyes, reagents, standards, etc.

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

Relevant identified uses

Intended for general public
Main use category : Professional use
Use of the substance/mixture : Dye-binding method for the analysis of soluble collagens.

Uses advised against

Restrictions on use : Use only for intended applications.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +44 (0) 28 93350258 (Mon-Fri 08:30-16:30)

Country/Area	Organisation/Company	Address	Emergency number	Comment
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Birmingham Centre) City Hospital	Dudley Road B18 7QH	0344 892 0111	Only for healthcare professionals
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Cardiff Centre) University Hospital Llandough	Penlan Road CF64 2XX	0344 892 0111	Only for healthcare professionals
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Edinburgh Centre) Royal Infirmary of Edinburgh	Little France Crescent EH16 4SA	0344 892 0111	Only for healthcare professionals
United Kingdom	Guy's & St Thomas' Poisons Unit Medical Toxicology Unit, Guy's & St Thomas' Hospital Trust	Avonley Road SE14 5ER	+44 20 7188 7188	
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Newcastle Centre) Regional Drugs and Therapeutics Centre	16/17 Framlington Place Newcastle-upon-Tyne NE2 4AB	0344 892 0111	Only for healthcare professionals
United Kingdom	National Poisons Information Service (Belfast Centre) Royal Victoria Hospital	Grosvenor Road BT12 6BA	0344 892 0111	Only for healthcare professionals
United Kingdom	NHS 111/NHS 24/NHS Direct		111 0845 4647	or call a doctor

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2 H315

Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2 H319

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

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

None under normal use.

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)



GHS07

Signal word (CLP)

: Warning

Hazard statements (CLP)

: H315 - Causes skin irritation.

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements (CLP)

: P264 - Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling.

P280 - Wear protective clothing, eye protection, face protection.

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

P305+P351+P338 - If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P332+P313 - If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.

P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Extra phrases

: The classification, labelling and advice given for this kit is based on the following hazardous component: 25ml vials Dye Release Reagent H315, H319.

Child-resistant fastening

: Not applicable

Tactile warning

: Not applicable

2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards which do not result in classification : None under normal conditions.

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

Contains no PBT and/or vPvB substances $\geq 0.1\%$ assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

Component

Substance(s) not meeting the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, in accordance with Annex XIII	sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)
Substance(s) not meeting the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, in accordance with Annex XIII	sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)

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SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
acetic acid substance with a Community workplace exposure limit	CAS-No.: 64-19-7 EC-No.: 200-580-7 EC Index-No.: 607-002-00-6	< 5	Flam. Liq. 3, H226 Skin Corr. 1A, H314
sodium hydroxide substance with national workplace exposure limit(s) (GB)	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6 REACH-no: 01-2119457892-27	< 2	Skin Corr. 1A, H314

Specific concentration limits:

Name	Product identifier	Specific concentration limits (%)
acetic acid	CAS-No.: 64-19-7 EC-No.: 200-580-7 EC Index-No.: 607-002-00-6	(10 ≤ C < 25) Skin Irrit. 2; H315 (10 ≤ C < 25) Eye Irrit. 2; H319 (25 ≤ C < 90) Skin Corr. 1B; H314 (90 ≤ C < 100) Skin Corr. 1A; H314
sodium hydroxide	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6 REACH-no: 01-2119457892-27	(0.5 ≤ C < 2) Skin Irrit. 2; H315 (0.5 ≤ C < 2) Eye Irrit. 2; H319 (2 ≤ C < 5) Skin Corr. 1B; H314 (5 ≤ C ≤ 100) Skin Corr. 1A; H314

Comments : The classification, labelling and advice given for this kit is based on the following hazardous component: 25ml vials Dye Release Reagent H315, H319

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

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: The classification, labelling and advice given for this kit is based on the following hazardous component: 25ml vials Dye Release Reagent H315, H319.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory symptoms, call a doctor.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical advice if skin irritation persists.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. In case of contact, immediately rinse eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: If swallowed: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects after inhalation	: None.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: Causes skin irritation.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Symptoms/effects after ingestion	: May cause irritation to the digestive tract.

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

Treat symptomatically.

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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : Use extinguishing agent suitable for surrounding fire. Dry chemical, CO₂, or water spray or regular foam.

Unsuitable extinguishing media : None.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

No additional information available

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Do not allow run-off from fire-fighting to enter drains or water courses.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe vapours. Ventilate the area thoroughly.

For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

Emergency procedures : No action shall be taken without appropriate training or involving any personal risk. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

Emergency procedures : Wear personal protective equipment. Stop leak if safe to do so. Ventilate area. Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Follow precautions for safe handling described in this safety data sheet. Always wash hands after handling the product.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Contain or absorb spilled liquid with earth or other absorbent material. Take up mechanically (sweeping, shovelling) and collect in suitable container for disposal. After cleaning, flush traces away with water.

6.4. Reference to other sections

SECTION 8. SECTION 11. SECTION 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed. Keep cool.

Incompatible products : Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingsuffs.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Dye-binding method for the analysis of soluble collagens.

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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

National occupational exposure and biological limit values

acetic acid (64-19-7)

EU - Indicative Occupational Exposure Limit (IOEL)

Local name	Acetic acid
IOEL TWA	25 mg/m³
	10 ppm
IOEL STEL	50 mg/m³
	20 ppm
Regulatory reference	COMMISSION DIRECTIVE (EU) 2017/164

sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)

United Kingdom - Occupational Exposure Limits

Local name	Sodium hydroxide
WEL STEL (OEL STEL)	2 mg/m³
Regulatory reference	EH40/2005 (Fourth edition, 2020). HSE

DNEL and PNEC

Poly(oxy-1,2-ethanediyl),α-hydro-ω-hydroxy- Ethane-1,2-diol, ethoxylated (25322-68-3)

DNEL/DMEL (Workers)

Long-term - systemic effects, dermal	112 mg/kg bodyweight/day
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	40.2 mg/m³

DNEL/DMEL (General population)

Long-term - systemic effects, oral	40 mg/kg bodyweight/day
Long-term - systemic effects, inhalation	7.14 mg/m³
Long-term - systemic effects, dermal	40 mg/kg bodyweight/day

PNEC (Water)

PNEC aqua (freshwater)	273 mg/l
PNEC aqua (marine water)	27.3 mg/l
PNEC aqua (intermittent, freshwater)	1 mg/l
PNEC aqua (intermittent, marine water)	100 µg/L

PNEC (Sediment)

PNEC sediment (freshwater)	1030 mg/kg dwt
PNEC sediment (marine water)	103 mg/kg dwt

PNEC (Soil)

PNEC soil	46.4 mg/kg dwt
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PNEC (STP)

PNEC sewage treatment plant	72.92 mg/l
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sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)

DNEL/DMEL (Workers)

Long-term - local effects, inhalation	1 mg/m ³
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DNEL/DMEL (General population)

Long-term - local effects, inhalation	1 mg/m ³
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8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure. Good standard of general ventilation.

Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment:

Gloves. Protective clothing.

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses (EN 166)

Skin protection

Hand protection:

Protective gloves made of latex. Nitrile rubber gloves, natural rubber gloves. PVC gloves. ISO 374-1

Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

No respiratory protection needed under normal use conditions

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Colour	: Dye Reagent is red, the rest of the components are colourless.
Odour	: Collagen Reference Solution and Plate Wash Reagent have acetic acid odour, the rest of the components are odourless.
Odour threshold	: Not available
Melting point	: Not available
Freezing point	: Not available
Boiling point	: Not available
Flammability	: Not available
Lower explosion limit	: Not available
Upper explosion limit	: Not available
Flash point	: > 100 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: Not available
Decomposition temperature	: Not available
pH	: Not available
Viscosity, kinematic	: Not available
Solubility	: Miscible with water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: Not available
Vapour pressure	: Not available
Vapour pressure at 50°C	: Not available
Density	: Not available

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Relative density	: Not available
Relative vapour density at 20°C	: Not available
Particle characteristics	: Not applicable

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

None.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of use.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

None under normal use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong oxidizing agents. alkalis.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal)	: Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation)	: Not classified

acetic acid (64-19-7)

LC50 Inhalation - Rat [ppm]	5620 ppm/4h
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Skin corrosion/irritation	: Causes skin irritation.
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye irritation.
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

11.2. Information on other hazards

Other information

Other information	: The classification, labelling and advice given for this kit is based on the following hazardous component: 25ml vials Dye Release Reagent H315, H319
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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) : Not classified

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) : Not classified

sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)

EC50 - Crustacea [1]	40.4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Ceriodaphnia sp.
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12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Rapidly degradable
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acetic acid (64-19-7)

Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable
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sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)

Persistence and degradability	Not rapidly degradable
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	Bioaccumulation unlikely.
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12.4. Mobility in soil

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Ecology - soil	Miscible with water. Expected to be highly mobile in soil.
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12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

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This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

Component

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Substance(s) not meeting the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, in accordance with Annex XIII	sodium hydroxide (1310-73-2)
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12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Incineration is recommended however disposal methods must take into account the substances added to the kit by the end user. Dyes must never be disposed of to drains or water courses.

HP Code : HP4 - "Irritant – skin irritation and eye damage:" waste which on application can cause skin irritation or damage to the eye.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number or ID number				
Not regulated for transport				
14.2. UN proper shipping name				
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. 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-Regulations

REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

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REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the REACH Candidate List

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals)

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants)

Ozone Regulation (2024/590)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 2024/590 on substances that deplete the ozone layer)

Council Regulation (EC) for the control of dual-use items

Contains no substance subject to the COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) for the control of dual-use items

Explosives Precursors Regulation (EU 2019/1148)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

Drug Precursors Regulation (EC 273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

For the following substances of this mixture a chemical safety assessment has been carried out:

sodium hydroxide

SECTION 16: Other information

Indication of changes:

Sds reformatted, no change to classification.

Indication of changes		
Section	Changed item	Comments
	Supersedes version of	Added
	Revision date	Modified
1.3	Supplier information	Modified
6.1	Protective equipment	Modified
6.1	Emergency procedures	Modified
7.1	Precautions for safe handling	Modified
13.1	HP Code	Added

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
CLP	Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC50	Median effective concentration
EC-No.	European Community number
IATA	International Air Transport Association

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

	IBC Code = International Code for the Construction and Equipment of Ships Carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk (IMO)
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

Data sources : ECHA (European Chemicals Agency). Supplier's safety documents.

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:

Eye Irrit. 2	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2
Flam. Liq. 3	Flammable liquids, Category 3
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1B
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.

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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.