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SAFETY DATA SHEET

ACCORDING TO EC-REGULATIONS 1907/2006 (REACH), 1272/2008 (CLP) & 2015/830

1. SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier

Product Name	Dip Slides.
Trade name	Dip Slides.
Product Code	ECHA09/DS, EC, RS
CAS No.	Mixture.
EINECS No.	Mixture.
REACH Registration No.	None assigned.

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

Identified use(s)	Prepared culture media for the development of microorganisms (HS 38.21.00.00.00) originating in the water associated with fuel, oil or other petroleum products and water samples from the following non-inclusive list of industrial sectors; aviation, petroleum, automotive, marine, power generation, military, fuel storage and end users of fuel.
Uses advised against	Not to be used to test any substance / sample of human or animal origin.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Identification	ECHA Microbiology Ltd. Unit 22 & 23 Willowbrook Technology Park Llandogo Rd., CARDIFF CF3 0EF United Kingdom (UK).
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1.4 Emergency telephone number

Company	07970 150682 & 07813 833193
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2. SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)	Not classified as dangerous for supply/use.
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2.2 Label elements

GHS Product Identifier	According to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 (CLP)
Hazard Pictogram(s)	Dip Slides.
Signal word(s)	None.
Hazard statement(s)	None.
Precautionary statement(s)	None.

2.3 Other hazards

None.

2.4 Additional Information

None.

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3. SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

No component is present at sufficient concentration to require a hazardous classification.

3.1 Substances

Not applicable.

3.2 Mixtures

EC Classification No. 1272/2008

Substances	%W/W	CAS No.	EC No.	REACH Registration No.	Hazard pictogram(s) and Hazard statement(s)
Water	>96	7732-18-5	231-791-2	None assigned.	None.
Agar	<2	9002-18-0	232-658-1	None assigned.	None.
Peptones	<2	100209-45-8	91079-38-3	None assigned.	None.

3.2 Additional Information

None.

4. SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES



4.1 Description of first aid measures

Inhalation
Skin Contact
Eye Contact

Unlikely route of exposure.

Wash with plenty of water.

Hold eyelids apart and flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If symptoms persist, obtain medical attention.

Ingestion

Wash out mouth with water. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Unlikely to be required but if necessary treat symptomatically.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No special requirements.

4.4 Additional Information

Exposure to the content of used test kit: If symptoms occur obtain medical attention.

5. SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

5.1 Extinguishing Media

Suitable Extinguishing Media
Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

As appropriate for surrounding fire.

None known.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

This product may give rise to hazardous fumes in a fire. Hazardous decomposition product(s): Carbon monoxide, Carbon dioxide.

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5.3 Advice for firefighters

Fire fighters should wear complete protective clothing including self-contained breathing apparatus. Chemical protection suit.

6. SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Spillage is unlikely to occur unless the plastic bottles of the test kit are broken.

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Caution - spillages may be slippery. Wear protective gloves.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Unused test kit
Used test kit

Cover with absorbent or contain. Collect and dispose. Cover with disinfectant. Wait for at least 10 minutes before recovering for disposal. If broken plastic accidentally cuts the skin, clean the wound thoroughly and seek medical advice.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Also Section 8.

7. SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, avoid direct contact. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash the contaminated area of body with soap and fresh water.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a cool dark place. Keep away from direct sunlight.

7.2.1 Storage Temperature

Unused test kit
Used test kit

Ideal storage temperature: 2 – 8 °C.
Incubate at 25° (or the temperature of the system being tested). If an incubator is not available use a dark warm draught free cupboard at 25°C.

7.2.2 Storage Life

Stable under normal conditions.

7.2.3 Incompatible materials

No information available.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

Prepared culture media for the development of microorganisms (HS 38.21.00.00.00) originating in industrial samples such as fuel samples or water associated with fuel.

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8. SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

8.1 Control parameters

8.1.1 Occupational Exposure Limits

SUBSTANCE	CAS No.	LTEL (8 hr TWA ppm)	LTEL (8 hr TWA mg/m ³)	STEL (ppm)	STEL (mg/m ³)	Note
Water	7732-18-5	-	-	-	-	Not established.
Agar	9002-18-0	-	-	-	-	Not established.
Peptones	100209-45-8	-	-	-	-	Not established.

8.1.2 Biological limit value

No information available.

8.1.3 PNECs and DNELs

No information available.

8.2 Exposure controls

8.2.1 Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure adequate ventilation.

8.2.2 Personal protection equipment

Eye/face protection



Wear protective eye glasses for protection against liquid splashes.

Skin protection (Hand protection/ Other)



Wear protective gloves.

Respiratory protection



Not normally required.

Thermal hazards

Not applicable.

8.2.3 Environmental Exposure Controls

Avoid release to the environment.

9. SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance

Gel on a rectangular plastic slide contained in a clear capped plastic tube.

Colour

Colourless / Yellow / Pink / Brown gel.

Odour

Odourless.

Odour threshold

Not established.

pH

5.5 to 7.5.

Melting point/freezing point

90°C

Initial boiling point and boiling range

Not available.

Flash point

Not applicable.

Evaporation rate

Not applicable.

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	Flammability (solid, gas)	Non-flammable.
	Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits	Not applicable.
	Vapour pressure	Not applicable.
	Vapour density	Not applicable.
	Relative density	Not available.
	Bulk Density	Not available.
	Solubility(ies)	Miscible.
	Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No information available.
	Auto-ignition temperature	Not applicable.
	Decomposition Temperature	Not available.
	Viscosity	Not applicable.
	Explosive properties	Not explosive.
	Oxidising properties	Not oxidising.
9.2	Other information	None.

10. SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

10.1	Reactivity	Stable under normal conditions.
10.2	Chemical stability	Stable under normal conditions.
10.3	Possibility of hazardous reactions	No hazardous reactions known if used for its intended purpose.
10.4	Conditions to avoid	Keep away from direct sunlight.
10.5	Incompatible materials	No information available.
10.6	Hazardous Decomposition Product(s)	No hazardous decomposition products known.

11. SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

11.1	Information on toxicological effects	
	Acute toxicity	Low acute toxicity. Used test kit: May be harmful and cause infection due to the presence of micro-organisms growing on the gel.
	Skin corrosion/irritation	Not classified.
	Serious eye damage/irritation	Not classified.
	Respiratory or skin sensitization	It is not a skin sensitiser.
	Germ cell mutagenicity	There is no evidence of mutagenic potential.
	Carcinogenicity	No evidence of carcinogenicity.
	Reproductive toxicity	None anticipated.
	STOT - single exposure	Not classified.
	STOT - repeated exposure	Not classified.
	Aspiration hazard	Not classified.
11.2	Other information	None.

12. SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1	Toxicity	Low toxicity to aquatic organisms.
12.2	Persistence and degradability	The product is readily biodegradable. Unlikely to persist.
12.3	Bioaccumulative potential	The product has low potential for bioaccumulation.
12.4	Mobility in soil	Soluble in water.

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12.5	Results of PBT and vPvB assessment	Not classified as PBT or vPvB.
12.6	Other adverse effects	None anticipated.

13. SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

13.1	Waste treatment methods	If there is evidence of microbial contamination (i.e. sports can be seen on the gel) then dispose of as non sterile and used test kits. If no growth is visible on the gel then dispose of as sterile and unused tests.
	Sterile and Unused Dip Slide tests	
	Licensed Waste Contractor	Dispose of via an authorised person / licensed waste contractor in accordance with local, state or national legislation.
	Incineration	Incineration may be carried out under controlled conditions provided local regulations for emissions are met by an authorised person / licensed waste contractor.
	Non sterile and used Dip Slide tests	
	Disinfection followed by Licensed Waste Contractor	Sterilize the Dip Slides by following manufacturers instructions provided with the test kit. Dispose of via an authorised person / licensed waste contractor in accordance with local, state or national legislation.
	Incineration	Classify as a bio-hazardous infectious test kit showing growth. Incineration may be carried out under controlled conditions provided local regulations for emissions are met by an authorised person / licensed waste contractor.

14. SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Not classified as dangerous for transport.

14.1	UN number	Not applicable.
14.2	UN proper shipping name	Not applicable.
14.3	Transport hazard class(es)	Not applicable.
14.4	Packing Group	Not applicable.
14.5	Environmental hazards	Not applicable.
14.6	Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
14.7	Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
14.8	Additional Information	Not applicable.

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15. SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**
- 15.1.1 EU regulations**
- Authorisations and/or restrictions on use**
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| Candidate List of Substances of Very High Concern for Authorisation | All chemicals are not listed. |
| REACH: ANNEX XIV list of substances subject to authorisation | All chemicals are not listed. |
| REACH: Annex XVII Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles | All chemicals are not listed. |
| Community Rolling Action Plan (CoRAP) | All chemicals are not listed. |
- 15.1.2 National regulations**
- None known.
- 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**
- Not applicable.

16. SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: 1-16.

LEGEND

LTEL	Long Term Exposure Limit
STEL	Short Term Exposure Limit
DNEL	Derived No Effect Level
PNEC	Predicted No Effect Concentration
PBT	Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic
vPvB	very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

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Annex to the extended Safety Data Sheet (eSDS)

Not applicable.