

Material Safety Data Sheet

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Product Identity Information

Product Name:	Irradiated Giardia lamblia
Catalog Number:	G10EX
Formula:	1 x 10EX Gamma-inactivated (nonviable) <i>Giardia lamblia</i> cysts suspended in proprietary formula, non-hazardous buffer solution
Unit Size:	1-2 ml
CAS Number/Name:	Not determined.
Uses:	Non-infective, quality control sample for Giardia lamblia testing.

Physical/Chemical Characteristics

Appearance:Clear LiquidSolubility in Water:Insoluble (inactivated cysts)

Physical Hazards

Flash Point:	Not determined.
Classification:	Not determined.
Extinguishing Fire:	Use carbon dioxide, dry chemical extinguishers or water. An approved self-contained breathing
	apparatus and protective clothing are recommended.

Reactivity & Storage Conditions

Stability:	Stable. Not a significant hazard in these quantities.
Storage Conditions:	Refrigerator storage recommended (2-8°C). Do not freeze.

Health Hazard Data

Routes of Entry:	May enter the body through inhalation, ingestion, and eye and skin contact.
RTECS Number:	None known.
Exposure Limits:	Not determined
Toxicity:	We are not aware of any toxicity data for this product.
Health Hazards:	See Potential Hazards below.
Potential Hazards:	The complete properties have not been investigated.
Carcinogenicity:	Not listed by NTP, IARC, or OSHA
Exposure Symptoms:	Unknown, handle with care.
First Aid:	Potentially harmful; avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Wash thoroughly after handling, if eye or
	skin contact occurs, wash affected areas thoroughly with soap and water for 15 minutes. If inhaled,
	move individual to fresh air and seek medical advice. If swallowed, seek medical advice.

Precautions for Safe Use/Control Measures

Ventilation:	No special ventilation is required.
Handling:	Gloves, protective clothing, and eyewear should be worn and safe laboratory practices followed.
In Case of Spill:	Use appropriate protective equipment and sodium hypochlorite (minimum 4%) to clean up spilled substance. Promptly absorb spill onto an appropriate material. Collect and dispose of all waste in accordance with applicable laws.
Clean-up:	Wash with soap and water.

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