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# 1. Chemical and Company Identification

Product Name: Cytodiagnostics Zepto<sup>TM</sup> Ultra Express Fluorescent Microspheres

Unit size: 1 or 5 mL

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Canada, L7L 4X8 Phone: 289-427-5083

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### 2. Composition/Information on Ingredients

**This product contains:** Polystyrene microspheres in water.

Component 1: Water, >99% (w/v), CAS 7732-18-5

Component 2: Poly (Styrene-co-maleic anhydride), <1% (w/v), CAS 26762-29-8

Component 3: metal coating, <0.1% (w/v)

Component 4: Proprietary molecule, <0.1% (w/v)

#### 3. Hazards Identification

**Emergency overview:** Harmful if swallowed or contact with skin. **Routes of Entry**: Ingestion, eye contact and skin absorption.

Effect of overexposure: This product may cause contact dermatitis.

#### 4. First Aid Measures

**Skin contact**: In case of contact with skin, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash extensively with soap and water and seek medical advice.

*Ingestion*: If swallowed and person is conscious wash mouth with water, seek medical advice immediately.

Eye contact: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice

*Inhalation*: In case of accident by inhalation, remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult seek medical advice.

### 5. Fire Fighting Measures

**Extinguishing media:** Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire conditions. **Special fire fighting procedures:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

### 6. Accidental Release Measures



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**Spill Procedures**: Isolate contaminated area and wear protective clothing according to section 7. Absorb spillage on appropriate material and place in closed container for proper disposal according to section 13 and wash area with copious amount of water. Make sure to properly ventilate area.

## 7. Handling and Storage

#### Handling:

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols.

Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation.

Wear laboratory coat, gloves and protective glasses during handling.

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment.

**Storage**: Keep container tightly closed and away from light. This product retains stability when stored between 4-25°C. Do NOT freeze or dry.

# 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

*General:* Provide adequate local ventilation and availability of safety shower and eyewash station nearby.

General protection equipment: Wear laboratory coat.

Protection of hands: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Liquid

Color: Grey
Odor: Odorless

**pH:** 7

# 10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable

#### 11. Toxicological Information

Skin contact: Harmful in contact with skin.

Ingestion: Harmful if ingested.

Eye contact: Harmful in contact with eyes.

## 12. Ecological Information



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Do not allow product to reach ground water, watercourse, or sewage system.

## 13. Disposal Considerations

**Disposal**: Consult a licensed waste disposal specialist for proper destruction. Observe all local, state and federal regulations.

## 14. Transport Information

Hazard class: Not regulated for transportation.

Product identification number: Not determined.

# 15. Regulatory Information

This product has been classified in accordance with the hazard criteria of the Controlled Products Regulations and the material safety data sheet contains all of the information required by those regulations.

WHMIS classification: Not determined.



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## 16. Other Information

This product is for research purposes, not for diagnostic or therapeutic use.

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