



MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

Identification:	<i>E. coli</i> strain, lyophilized
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Hazard identification:	Potentially infectious. All <i>E. coli</i> are Hazard Group 2 bacteriological agents except <i>E. coli</i> O157:H7 (Group 3).
Composition/information on ingredients:	Lyophilized <i>E. coli</i> bacterium.
First-aid measures:	Eye - Wash out with plenty of water. Skin - Immediately disinfect area with anti-septic solution.
Accidental release measures:	Wear appropriate protective clothing. Properly disinfect any spills.
Handling and storage:	Store at room temperature.
Exposure controls/personal protection:	Work in a biological safety cabinet and wear disposable gloves.
Physical and chemical properties:	Lyophilized bacteria. Colour white/yellow powder.
Stability and reactivity:	Stable. Do not use if there is any evidence of hydration.
Toxicological information:	Low acute toxicity.
Ecological information:	None.
Disposal considerations:	Clean spills with antiseptic solution and dispose waste as infected material.
Transport information:	UN number 3373. Biological Category B
Regulatory information:	None.
Other information:	None.