



## Article Information Sheet

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### SECTION 1: Identification

#### 1.1. Product identifier

3M™ Attest™ Super Rapid Readout Biological Indicator 1491 & 1492V

#### Product Identification Numbers

70-2007-6355-8      70-2007-6356-6

#### 1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

##### Recommended use

To indicate attainment or conditions for sterilization.

#### 1.3. Supplier's details

**Company:** 3M Canada Company  
**Division:** Infection Prevention Division  
**Address:** 1840 Oxford Street East, Post Office Box 5757, London, Ontario N6A 4T1  
**Telephone:** (800) 364-3577  
**Website:** www.3M.ca

#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Medical Emergency Telephone: (519) 451-2500, Ext. 2222; Transportation Emergency Telephone (CANUTEC): (613) 996-6666

### SECTION 2: Hazard identification

This product is exempt from hazard classification according to the Hazardous Products Act because it meets the manufactured article exemption.

### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Ingredient	C.A.S. No.	% by Wt
Polycarbonate sleeve	None	40 - 50

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Cap	None	20 - 25
Glass tube	None	5 - 15
Growth media	None	10 - 15
Ampoule crusher	None	5 - 10
Geobacillus stearothermophilus spores	None	< 0.05

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

#### Inhalation:

No need for first aid is anticipated.

#### Skin Contact:

No need for first aid is anticipated.

#### Eye Contact:

No need for first aid is anticipated.

#### If Swallowed:

No need for first aid is anticipated.

## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

In case of fire: Use a fire fighting agent suitable for ordinary combustible material such as water or foam.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Not applicable.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Not applicable.

### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Not applicable.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

This product is considered to be an article which does not release or otherwise result in exposure to a hazardous chemical under normal use conditions.

### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

No special storage requirements.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

This product is considered to be an article which does not release or otherwise result in exposure to a hazardous chemical under normal use conditions. No engineering controls or personal protective equipment (PPE) are necessary.

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance/Odour	Glass ampule with test strip and media, enclosed in a covered plastic vial
Odour threshold	<i>Not Applicable</i>
pH	7.5 [ <i>Details:(applies to media)</i> ]
Melting point/Freezing point	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Boiling point/Initial boiling point/Boiling range	100 °C [ <i>Details:applies to media</i> ]
Evaporation rate	<i>No Data Available</i>
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not Applicable
Flammable Limits(LEL)	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Flammable Limits(UEL)	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Vapour Pressure	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Vapour Density	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Density	1 g/ml
Relative density	1 [ <i>Ref Std:WATER=1</i> ]
Water solubility	Negligible
Solubility- non-water	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/ water	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Autoignition temperature	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Decomposition temperature	<i>Not Applicable</i>
Viscosity	<i>No Data Available</i>
Percent volatile	<i>No Data Available</i>

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

This material is considered to be non reactive under normal use conditions.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Inhalation:

No health effects are expected

### Skin Contact:

No health effects are expected

### Eye Contact:

No health effects are expected

### Ingestion:

No health effects are expected

### Additional Information:

This product, when used under reasonable conditions and in accordance with the directions for use, should not present a health hazard. However, use or processing of the product in a manner not in accordance with the product's directions for use may affect the performance of the product and may present potential health and safety hazards.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

No data available.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations.

## **SECTION 14: Transport Information**

Transport in accordance with applicable regulations.

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

This product is an article as defined by CEPA and is exempt from DSL inventory listing.

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

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**Health: 0 Flammability: 1 Instability: 0 Special Hazards: None**

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