

Safety Data Sheet

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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product identifier

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

Product Identification Numbers

70-2007-6356-6

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Recommended use

To indicate attainment or conditions for sterilisation.

For Industrial or Professional use only.

1.3. Supplier's details

Address: 3M Australia - Building A, 1 Rivett Road, North Ryde NSW 2113

Telephone: 136 136

E Mail: productinfo.au@mmm.com

Website: www.3m.com.au

1.4. Emergency telephone number

EMERGENCY: 1800 097 146 (Australia only)

SECTION 2: Hazard identification

This product is NOT classified as a hazardous chemical according to the Model Work Health and Safety Regulations, 2011, in accordance with applicable State and Territory legislation.

Refer to Section 14 of this Safety Data Sheets for product Dangerous Goods Classification.

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Not applicable.

2.2. Label elements

Signal word

Not applicable.

Symbols

Not applicable.

Pictograms

Not applicable

Precautionary statements

Prevention:

P280E

Wear protective gloves.

2.3. Other assigned/identified product hazards

None known.

2.4. Other hazards which do not result in classification

None known.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

This material is a mixture.

Ingredient	CAS Nbr	% by Weight
Phenol, 4,4'-(1-Methylidene)Bis-, Polymer	111211-39-3	50 - 53
with Carbonic Dichloride, 4-(1-Methyl-1-		
Phenylethyl)Phenyl Ester		
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	22 - 23
Borosilicate Glass ampule	none	5 - 10
Growth Media	Trade Secret	9 - 9.5
4-Methylumbelliferyl-A-D-	17833-43-1	4 - 5
Glucopyranoside		
Nylon	none	1 - 2
Cellulose Pulp	65996-61-4	0.2 - 0.3

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.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

No critical symptoms or effects. See Section 11.1, information on toxicological effects.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment required

Not applicable

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable extinguishing media

Use a fire fighting agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None inherent in this product.

Hazardous Decomposition or By-Products

Substance

Carbon monoxide.

Carbon dioxide.

Condition

During combustion.

During combustion.

5.3. Special protective actions for fire-fighters

No special protective actions for fire-fighters are anticipated.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Observe precautions from other sections.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Contain spill. Working from around the edges of the spill inward, cover with bentonite, vermiculite, or commercially available inorganic absorbent material. Mix in sufficient absorbent until it appears dry. Remember, adding an absorbent material does not remove a physical, health, or environmental hazard. Collect as much of the spilled material as possible. Place in a closed container approved for transportation by appropriate authorities. Clean up residue with an appropriate solvent selected by a qualified and authorised person. Ventilate the area with fresh air. Read and follow safety precautions on the solvent label and Safety Data Sheet. Seal the container. Dispose of collected material as soon as possible in accordance with applicable local/regional/national/international regulations.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Avoid release to the environment.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage including any incompatibilities

No special storage requirements.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits

No occupational exposure limit values exist for any of the components listed in Section 3 of this Safety Data Sheet.

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Engineering controls

Not applicable.

8.2.2. Personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection

None required.

Skin/hand protection

No chemical protective gloves are required.

Respiratory protection

None required.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

information on basic physical and chemical properties	<i>x</i> s
Physical state	Liquid.
Colour	Multicolour
Odour	Nearly Odourless
Odour threshold	Not applicable.
pH	7.5 [Details:(applies to media)]
Melting point/Freezing point	Not applicable.
Boiling point/Initial boiling point/Boiling range	100 °C [Details:applies to media]
Flash point	No flash point
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable.
Flammable Limits(LEL)	Not applicable.
Flammable Limits(UEL)	Not applicable.
Vapour pressure	Not applicable.
Vapor Density and/or Relative Vapor Density	Not applicable.
Density	1 g/ml
Relative density	1 [Ref Std:WATER=1]
Water solubility	Negligible
Solubility- non-water	Not applicable.
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	Not applicable.
Autoignition temperature	Not applicable.
Decomposition temperature	Not applicable.
Viscosity/Kinematic Viscosity	No data available.
Volatile organic compounds (VOC)	
Percent volatile	No data available.
VOC less H2O & exempt solvents	
Molecular weight	No data available.
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Nanoparticles

This material does not contain nanoparticles.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

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

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable.

10.3. Conditions to avoid

None known.

10.4. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

10.5 Incompatible materials

None known.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Substance

Condition

None known.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. In addition, toxicological data on ingredients may not be reflected in the material classification and/or the signs and symptoms of exposure, because an ingredient may be present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient may not be available for exposure, or the data may not be relevant to the material as a whole.

11.1 Information on Toxicological effects

Signs and Symptoms of Exposure

Based on test data and/or information on the components, this material may produce the following health effects:

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.

Toxicological Data

If a component is disclosed in section 3 but does not appear in a table below, either no data are available for that endpoint or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Acute Toxicity

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Name	Route	Species	Value
Overall product	Ingestion		No data available; calculated ATE >5,000 mg/kg
Polypropylene	Dermal		LD50 estimated to be > 5,000 mg/kg
Polypropylene	Ingestion	Mouse	LD50 > 8,000 mg/kg

ATE = acute toxicity estimate

Skin Corrosion/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Human and animal	No significant irritation

Serious Eye Damage/Irritation

Name	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Professional judgement	No significant irritation

Skin Sensitisation

Name	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Human and animal	Not classified

Respiratory Sensitisation

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity

Name	Route	Value
Polypropylene	In Vitro	Not mutagenic

Carcinogenicity

Name	Route	Species	Value
Polypropylene	Not specified.	Rat	Some positive data exist, but the data
			are not sufficient for classification

Reproductive Toxicity

Reproductive and/or Developmental Effects

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Target Organ(s)

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - single exposure

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity - repeated exposure

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Aspiration Hazard

For the component/components, either no data are currently available or the data are not sufficient for classification.

Exposure Levels

Refer Section 8.1 Control Parameters of this Safety Data Sheet.

Interactive Effects

Not determined.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

The information below may not be consistent with the material classification in Section 2 if specific ingredient classifications are mandated by a competent authority. Additional information leading to material classification in Section 2 is available upon request. In addition, environmental fate and effects data on ingredients may not be reflected in this section because an ingredient is present below the threshold for labelling, an ingredient is not expected to be available for exposure, or the data is considered not relevant to the material as a whole.

12.1. Toxicity

Acute aquatic hazard:

Not acutely toxic to aquatic life by GHS criteria.

Chronic aquatic hazard:

Not chronically toxic to aquatic life by GHS criteria.

No product test data available.

Material	CAS Number	Organism	Туре	Exposure	Test endpoint	Test result
Phenol, 4,4'-(1-	111211-39-3		Data not			N/A
Methylidene)Bi			available or			
s-, Polymer			insufficient for			
with Carbonic			classification			
Dichloride, 4-						
(1-Methyl-1-						
Phenylethyl)Ph						
enyl Ester						
Polypropylene	9003-07-0		Data not			N/A
			available or			
			insufficient for			
			classification			
4-	17833-43-1		Data not			N/A
Methylumbellif			available or			
eryl-A-D-			insufficient for			
Glucopyranosi			classification			
de						
Cellulose Pulp	65996-61-4		Data not			N/A
			available or			
			insufficient for			
			classification			

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Material	CAS Number	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Phenol, 4,4'-(1-	111211-39-3	Data not			N/A	
Methylidene)Bi		available-				
s-, Polymer		insufficient				
with Carbonic						
Dichloride, 4-						
(1-Methyl-1-						
Phenylethyl)Ph						
enyl Ester						
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	Data not			N/A	
		available-				
		insufficient				
4-	17833-43-1	Estimated	28 days	BOD	41 %	OECD 301F -
Methylumbellif		Biodegradation			BOD/ThBOD	Manometric
eryl-A-D-						respirometry
Glucopyranosi						
de						
Cellulose Pulp	65996-61-4	Data not			N/A	
		available-				
		insufficient				

12.3: Bioaccumulative potential

Material	CAS Number	Test type	Duration	Study Type	Test result	Protocol
Phenol, 4,4'-(1-Methylidene)Bi s-, Polymer with Carbonic Dichloride, 4- (1-Methyl-1- Phenylethyl)Ph enyl Ester		Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Polypropylene	9003-07-0	Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
4- Methylumbellif eryl-A-D- Glucopyranosi de	17833-43-1	Experimental Bioconcentrati on		Log Kow	-0.66	Non-standard method
Cellulose Pulp	65996-61-4	Data not available or insufficient for classification	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

12.4. Mobility in soil

Please contact manufacturer for more details

12.5 Other adverse effects

No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

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

Dispose of waste product in a permitted industrial waste facility. As a disposal alternative, incinerate in a permitted waste incineration facility.

SECTION 14: Transport Information

Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG) - Road/Rail Transport

UN No.: Not applicable.

Proper shipping name: Not applicable.

Class/Division: Not applicable. Sub Risk: Not applicable. Packing Group: Not applicable.

Hazchem Code: Not applicable

IERG: Not applicable.

International Air Transport Association (IATA) - Air Transport

UN No.: Not applicable.

Proper shipping name: Not applicable.

Class/Division: Not applicable. Sub Risk: Not applicable.

Packing Group: Not applicable.

International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)- Marine Transport

UN No.: Not applicable.

Proper shipping name: Not applicable.

Class/Division: Not applicable.
Sub Risk: Not applicable.
Packing Group: Not applicable.
Marine Pollutant: Not applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Australian Inventory Status:

This product is regulated by the Therapeutics Goods Administration and is exempt from compliance with the Industrial Chemicals (Notification and Assessment) Act 1989 as amended.

SECTION 16: Other information

Revision information:

Complete document review.

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