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## 1 Identification

Product identifier

Trade name: RNA Lysis Buffer (RLA)

Article number: Z305

Application of the substance / the mixture For Laboratory Use

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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For Chemical Emergency Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTREC Day or Night Within USA

and Canada: 1-800-424-9300

Outside USA and Canada: +1 703-527-3887 (collect calls accepted)

## 2 Hazard(s) identification

#### Classification of the substance or mixture



GHS05 Corrosion

Skin Corrosion 1B H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Eye Damage 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.



GHS07

Acute Toxicity - Oral 4 H302 Harmful if swallowed. Acute Toxicity - Inhalation 4 H332 Harmful if inhaled.

Label elements

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS). Hazard pictograms





GHS05 GHS07

Signal word Danger

Hazard-determining components of labeling:

guanidinium thiocyanate

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#### Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

#### Precautionary statements

Do not breathe dusts or mists.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing.

Immediately call a poison center/doctor.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Store locked up.

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

#### Classification system:

## NFPA ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 3

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

#### HMIS-ratings (scale 0 - 4)

Health = 3

Fire = 0

Reactivity = 0

## OSHA Hazard Overview (Criteria according to 29CFR1910.1200):

**Toxic** 

Highly Toxic

Corrosive

Environmental Hazard

#### *Primary route(s) of entry:*

Dermal

Inhalation

Oral

## Target Organ(s):

May affect Nervous system (Neurotoxin)

May cause Kidney damage (Nephrotoxin)

Risk of damage to eyes

Affects Gastrointestinal System

Other hazards

## Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT:** Not applicable.

vPvB: Not applicable.

## 3 Composition/information on ingredients

#### Chemical characterization: Mixtures

#### Description:

The product is made up of a mixture of hazardous and non-hazardous components. The exact concentration percentages and components name may be withheld as a Promega Corp. trade secret.

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#### Dangerous components:

593-84-0 guanidinium thiocyanate

25-50%

Additional information: For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 15.

## 4 First-aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

### General information:

Immediately remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

Seek medical treatment.

## After inhalation:

Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.

*In case of unconsciousness place patient stably in side position for transportation.* 

Seek medical treatment in case of complaints.

## After skin contact:

Immediately wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.

After eye contact: Call a doctor immediately.

#### After swallowing:

Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Immediately call a doctor.

Seek immediate medical advice.

#### Information for doctor:

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

None

No further relevant information available.

## Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

# 5 Fire-fighting measures

## Extinguishing media

## Suitable extinguishing agents:

CO2, extinguishing powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

#### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

None known

No further relevant information available.

Advice for firefighters In the case of fire, wear respiratory protective equipment and chemical protective suit.

**Protective equipment:** Mouth respiratory protective device.

## 6 Accidental release measures

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

Mount respiratory protective device.

Remove persons from danger area.

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Keep people at a distance and stay upwind.

Wear protective clothing.

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### **Environmental precautions:**

Do not allow product to reach sewage system or any water course.

Inform respective authorities in case of seepage into water course or sewage system.

Dilute with plenty of water.

Do not allow to enter sewers/surface or ground water.

## Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

Use neutralizing agent.

Dispose contaminated material as waste according to Section 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Keep away from water.

#### Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

## 7 Handling and storage

#### Handling:

## Precautions for safe handling

Keep receptacles tightly sealed.

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Open and handle receptacle with care.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable.

#### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: Do not store below -20°C. Protected from light.

Information about storage in one common storage facility: Do not store together with acids.

Further information about storage conditions: Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

**Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

## 8 Exposure controls/personal protection

#### Control parameters

#### Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Additional information: The lists that were valid during the creation were used as basis.

## Exposure controls

## Personal protective equipment:

### General protective and hygienic measures:

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed.

Immediately remove all soiled and contaminated clothing.

Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Do not eat or drink while working.

Clean skin thoroughly immediately after handling the product.

#### Breathing equipment:

In case of brief exposure or low pollution use respiratory filter device. In case of intensive or longer exposure use respiratory protective device that is independent of circulating air.

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## Protection of hands:

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

## Material of gloves

Gloves impermeable to the specific chemical substance.

Please observe the instructions regarding permeability and breakthrough time which are provided by the manufacturer/supplier of the gloves. Ensure gloves are suitable for the task which includes, but is not limited to, chemical compatibility, dexterity, operational conditions, user susceptibility, e.g., sensitization effects. Consider specific local conditions under which the product is used such as the danger of cuts and abrasion. Remove gloves with care to avoid skin contamination.

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

#### Eye protection:

Tightly sealed goggles

Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under government NIOSH standards.

Information on basic physical and	chemical properties	
General Information		
Appearance: Form:	Fluid	
Color:	Colorless	
Odor:	Not determined	
Odor threshold:	Not determined.	
pH-value at 20 °C (68 °F):	7.5	
Change in condition		
Melting point/Melting range:	Undetermined.	
Boiling point/Boiling range:	100 °C (212 °F)	
Flash point:	Not applicable.	
Flammability (solid, gaseous):	Not applicable.	
Decomposition temperature:	Not determined.	
Auto igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.	
Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.	
Explosion limits:		
Lower:	Not determined.	
Upper:	Not determined.	
Vapor pressure:	Not determined.	
Density at 20 °C (68 °F):	1.102 g/cm³ (9.19619 lbs/gal)	
Relative density	Not determined.	
Vapor density	Not determined.	
Evaporation rate	Not determined.	
Solubility in / Miscibility with		
Water:	Fully miscible.	
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/wat	t <b>er):</b> Not determined.	
Viscosity:		
Dynamic:	Not determined.	
Kinematic:	Not determined.	

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Solvent separation test		
Water:	52.6 %	
VOC content:	0.00 %	
Solids content:	47.4 %	
Other information	No further relevant information available.	

## 10 Stability and reactivity

Reactivity No further relevant information available.

Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.

**Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.

Incompatible materials:

Exposure to strong acid will result in the generation of toxic gases

Exposure to bleach may result in the generation of toxic gas

Hazardous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known.

# 11 Toxicological information

Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC5	LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:				
593-84-	593-84-0 guanidinium thiocyanate				
Oral	LD50	475 mg/kg (Rat) By analogy to guanidine hydrochloride			
Dermal	LD50	>2,000 mg/kg (Rabbit)			
		By analogy to Guanidine hydrochloride.			

## Primary irritant effect:

on the skin: Caustic effect on skin and mucous membranes.

on the eye: Strong caustic effect.

Sensitization: Sensitization possible through inhalation.

## Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to internally approved calculation methods for preparations: OECD test guideline 471, Ames test.

Harmful

Corrosive

Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

#### Carcinogenic categories

## IARC (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

None of the ingredients are listed.

#### NTP (National Toxicology Program)

None of the ingredients are listed.

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## OSHA-Ca (Occupational Safety & Health Administration)

None of the ingredients are listed.

## 12 Ecological information

#### **Toxicity**

Aquatic toxicity: Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

## Persistence and degradability

Not available

No further relevant information available.

## Bioaccumulative potential

Not known

No further relevant information available.

*Mobility in soil* No further relevant information available.

Ecotoxicological effects: Remark: Harmful to fish

Additional ecological information:

#### General notes:

Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water

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

 ${\it Must not reach bodies of water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.}$ 

Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into the ground.

Harmful to aquatic organisms

#### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT:** Not applicable. **vPvB:** Not applicable.

Other adverse effects No further relevant information available.

## 13 Disposal considerations

#### Waste treatment methods

#### Recommendation:

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Refer to Section 7: Handling and Storage and Section 8: Exposure Control/Personal Protection for additional handling information and protection of employees.

## Uncleaned packagings:

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations. **Recommended cleansing agent:** Water, if necessary with cleansing agents.

## 14 Transport information

UN-Number DOT, ADR, IMDG, IATA	UN1760
UN proper shipping name DOT ADR IMDG, IATA	Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. solution 1760 CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. solution CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. solution

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Label	8
IMDG, IATA	
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Class	8 Corrosive substances
Label	8
Packing group	
DOT, ÅDR, ÍMDG, IATA	II
Environmental hazards:	
Marine pollutant:	No
Special precautions for user	Warning: Corrosive substances
Hazard identification number (Kemler code).	: 80
EMS Number:	F- $A$ , $S$ - $B$
Stowage Category	B CIVIC CITY
Stowage Code	SW2 Clear of living quarters.
Transport in bulk according to Annex II of	
MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code	Not applicable.
Transport/Additional information:	
ADR	
Excepted quantities (EQ)	Code: E2
	Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
	Maximum net quantity per outer packaging: 500 ml
IMDG	
Limited quantities (LQ)	IL
Excepted quantities $(\widetilde{E}Q)$	Code: E2
	Maximum net quantity per inner packaging: 30 ml
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UN "Model Regulation":

UN 1760 CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. SOLUTION, 8, II

## 15 Regulatory information

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

Section 355 (extremely hazardous substances):

None of the ingredients are listed.

Section 313 (Specific toxic chemical listings):

None of the ingredients are listed.

TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) Inventory:

All ingredients are listed.

Hazardous Air Pollutants

None of the ingredients are listed.

**Proposition 65** 

Chemicals known to cause cancer:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for females:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause reproductive toxicity for males:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Chemicals known to cause developmental toxicity:

None of the ingredients are listed.

New Jersey Right-to-Know List:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Pennsylvania Right-to-Know List:

None of the ingredients are listed.

Cancerogenity categories

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)

None of the ingredients are listed.

TLV (Threshold Limit Value)

None of the ingredients are listed.

NIOSH-Ca (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)

None of the ingredients are listed.

GHS label elements The product is classified and labeled according to the Globally Harmonized System (GHS). Signal word Danger

Hazard-determining components of labeling:

guanidinium thiocyanate

Hazard statements

Harmful if swallowed or if inhaled.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements

Do not breathe dusts or mists.

Wash thoroughly after handling.

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Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.

If swallowed: Call a poison center/doctor if you feel unwell.

If swallowed: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing, Rinse skin with water/shower.

IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

*Immediately call a poison center/doctor.* 

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Store locked up.

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

Chemical safety assessment

Water hazard class: Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water. Chemical safety assessment: A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

## 16 Other information

\*This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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#### Abbreviations and acronvms:

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

ICAO: Internation Civil Aviation Organization

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international des marchandises dangereuses par route (European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

DOT: US Department of Transportation

IATA: International Air Transport Association

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

NFPA: National Fire Protection Association (USA)

HMIS: Hazardous Materials Identification System (USA)

VOC: Volatile Organic Compounds (USA, EU) LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety

OSHA: Occupational Safety & Health

TLV: Threshold Limit Value

PEL: Permissible Exposure Limit

REL: Recommended Exposure Limit

Acute Toxicity - Oral 4: Acute toxicity - Category 4

Skin Corrosion 1B: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 1B

Eye Damage 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation - Category 1