

**MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET**

**SECTION 1. CHEMICAL IDENTIFICATION**

**CATALOG/PRODUCT#:** BSA01

**NAME:** GENERAL ACTIN BUFFER

**USE:** LABORATORY CHEMICALS

**MANUFACTURER/SUPPLIER:**

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**SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

**EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

**OSHA HAZARDS**

THIS PRODUCT IS NOT CONSIDERED HAZARDOUS

**GHS CLASSIFICATION**

THIS PRODUCT IS NOT CONSIDERED HAZARDOUS

**GHS LABEL ELEMENTS, INCLUDING PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

PICTOGRAM	NONE
SIGNAL WORD	NONE

**HAZARD STATEMENTS**

NONE

**PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS**

NONE

**NFPA RATINGS (SCALE 0-4)**

FIRE = 0  
HEALTH = 0  
REACTIVITY = 0

**HMIS RATINGS**

HEALTH = 0

FIRE = 0

REACTIVITY = 0

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

INHALATION	MAY BE HARMFUL IF INHALED. MAY CAUSE RESPIRATORY IRRITATION.
SKIN	MAY BE HARMFUL IF ABSORBED THROUGH SKIN. MAY CAUSE SKIN IRRITATION.
EYES	MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION.
INGESTION	MAY BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED.

**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

COMPRISED OF:

TRIS BASE	CAS#: 77-86-1	<1%
	EINECS#: 201-064-4	
CALCIUM CHLORIDE	CAS#: 10035-04-8	<1%
	EINECS#: 233-140-8	

**SECTION 4. FIRST-AID MEASURES**

**AFTER INHALATION:** SUPPLY FRESH AIR. IF NOT BREATHING, GIVE ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION. CONSULT PHYSICIAN IN CASE OF COMPLAINTS  
**AFTER SKIN CONTACT:** IMMEDIATELY WASH SKIN WITH SOAP AND RINSE WITH COPIOUS AMOUNTS OF WATER  
**AFTER EYE CONTACT:** RINSE OPENED EYE FOR AT LEAST 15 MINUTES UNDER RUNNING WATER. THEN CONSULT PHYSICIAN  
**AFTER SWALLOWING:** WASH OUT MOUTH WITH WATER PROVIDED PERSON IS CONSCIOUS. CALL FOR PHYSICIAN

WASH CONTAMINATED CLOTHING BEFORE REUSE.

**SECTION 5. FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

**CONDITIONS OF FLAMMABILITY:** NOT FLAMMABLE OR COMBUSTIBLE  
**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

**SUITABLE EXTINGUISHING AGENTS:** CARBON DIOXIDE, EXTINGUISHING POWDER, ALCOHOL-RESISTENT FOAM OR WATER SPRAY.

**ADVICE FOR FIREFIGHTERS**

**PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:** MOUNT RESPIRATORY PROTECTIVE DEVICE  
PREVENT CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

**PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS, PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT AND EMERGENCY PROCEDURES:** WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING, RESPIRATOR, CHEMICAL SAFETY

GOGGLES, GLOVES. AVOID DUST FORMATION. AVOID BREATHING VAPORS, MIST OR GAS.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS:** 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). IN LYOPHILIZED FORM, SWEEP UP WITHOUT CREATING DUST. DISPOSE CONTAMINATED MATERIAL AS WASTE ACCORDING TO SECTION 13. ENSURE ADEQUATE VENTILATION.

**REFERENCE TO OTHER SECTIONS:** SEE SECTION 8 FOR INFORMATION ON PERSONAL PROTECTION EQUIPMENT. SEE SECTION 13 FOR DISPOSAL INFORMATION.

## **SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE**

### **HANDLING**

**PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING:** ENSURE GOOD VENTILATION/EXHAUSTION AT THE WORKPLACE. WEAR APPROPRIATE PROTECTIVE CLOTHING (SEE SECTION 8). DO NOT RE-USE CONTAINER.

**INFORMATION ABOUT PROTECTION AGAINST EXPLOSIONS AND FIRES:** NOT IGNITABLE

CONDITIONS FOR SAFE STORAGE, INCLUDING ANY INCOMPATIBILITIES  
STORAGE

**REQUIREMENTS TO BE MET BY STOREROOMS AND RECEPTACLES:** STORE AT 2-8°C. KEEP CONTAINER TIGHTLY CLOSED AND SEALED UNTIL READY FOR USE. STORE DESICCATED.

**FURTHER INFORMATION ABOUT STORAGE CONDITIONS:** KEEP RECEPTACLE TIGHTLY SEALED.

## **SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

CONTAINS NO SUBSTANCES WITH OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMIT VALUES

### **PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT**

#### **GENERAL PROTECTIVE AND HYGIENIC MEASURES**

KEEP AWAY FROM FOODSTUFFS, BEVERAGES AND FEED  
WASH HANDS BEFORE BREAKS AND AT THE END OF WORK  
IMMEDIATELY REMOVE ALL SOILED AND CONTAMINATED CLOTHING  
AVOID CONTACT WITH THE EYES AND SKIN

#### **BREATHING EQUIPMENT**

SHORT TERM FILTER DEVICE: USE TYPE N95 OR TYPE P1 DUST MASKS  
DO NOT BREATHE. USE MECHANICAL EXHAUST SYSTEM

#### **PROTECTION OF HANDS**

##### **PROTECTIVE GLOVES.**

THE GLOVE MATERIAL HAS TO BE IMPERMEABLE AND RESISTANT TO THE PRODUCT/SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION. AS THE PRODUCT IS A PREPARATION OF SEVERAL SUBSTANCES, THE RESISTANCE OF THE GLOVE MATERIAL CANNOT BE CALCULATED IN ADVANCE AND THEREFORE HAS TO BE CHECKED PRIOR TO

APPLICATION. NO RECOMMENDATION CAN BE GIVEN FOR THE GLOVE MATERIAL FOR THIS PRODUCT. SELECT GLOVE MATERIALS BASE ON PENETRATION TIMES, RATES OF DIFFUSION AND DEGRADATION OF MATERIAL.

#### **MATERIAL OF GLOVES**

THE SELECTION OF SUITABLE GLOVES DEPENDS NOT ONLY ON THE MATERIAL BUT ON QUALITY OF MATERIAL AND VARIES FROM MANUFACTURER TO MANUFACTURER.

#### **PENETRATION TIME OF GLOVE MATERIAL**

THE EXACT BREAK THROUGH TIME HAS TO BE FOUND OUT BY THE MANUFACTURER OF THE PROTECTIVE GLOVES AND HAS TO BE OBSERVED.

**FOR THE PERMANENT CONTACT OF A MAXIMUM OF 15 MINUTES, GLOVES MADE OF THE FOLLOWING MATERIALS ARE SUITABLE:**

NEOPRENE GLOVES

**EYE PROTECTION:** TIGHTLY SEALED GOGGLES

**BODY PROTECTION:** PROTECTIVE WORK CLOTHING

### **SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### **INFORMATION ON BASIC PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

##### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

FORM: SOLID (LYOPHILIZED POWDER)

CHANGE IN CONDITION

MELTING POINT/MELTING RANGE: NO DATA AVAILABLE

BOILING POINT/BOILING RANGE: NO DATA AVAILABLE

FLASH POINT: NO DATA AVAILABLE

SELF-IGNITING: NO DATA AVAILABLE

DANGER OF EXPLOSION: PRODUCT IS NOT EXPLOSIVE

DENSITY: NO DATA AVAILABLE

SOLUBILITY IN/MISCIBILITY WITH WATER: FULLY MISCIBLE

### **SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

#### **REACTIVITY**

##### **CHEMICAL STABILITY**

STABLE UNDER RECOMMENDED STORAGE CONDITIONS.

**THERMAL DECOMPOSITION/CONDITIONS TO BE AVOIDED:** STRONG OXIDIZING AGENTS

**POSSIBILITY OF HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:** NO DATA AVAILABLE

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:** NO DATA AVAILABLE

### **SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### **INFORMATION ON TOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS**

TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE, THE TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES OF THIS PRODUCT HAVE NOT BEEN THOROUGHLY INVESTIGATED.

NO KNOWN SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS OR CRITICAL HAZARDS.

NO DATA AVAILABLE FOR ACUTE TOXICITY, SKIN CORROSION/IRRITATION, SERIOUS EYE DAMAGE/EYE IRRITATION, RESPIRATORY OR SKIN SENSITIZATION, GERM CELL MUTAGENICITY, SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY-SINGLE EXPOSURE, SPECIFIC TARGET ORGAN TOXICITY-REPEATED EXPOSURE OR ASPIRATION HAZARD

NO COMPONENT OF THIS PRODUCT PRESENT AT LEVELS GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO 0.1% IS IDENTIFIED AS PROBABLE, POSSIBLE OR CONFIRMED HUMAN CARCINOGEN BY IARC, ACGIH, NTP OR OSHA

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#### **SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

NO DATA AVAILABLE

#### **SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

##### **WASTE TREATMENT METHODS**

CONTACT A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE TO DISPOSE OF THIS MATERIAL. DISPOSAL OF THIS PRODUCT, SOLUTIONS AND ANY BY-PRODUCTS SHOULD AT ALL TIMES COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND WASTE DISPOSAL LEGISLATION AND ANY REGIONAL LOCAL AUTHORITY REQUIREMENTS. AVOID DISPERSAL OF SPILLED MAERIAL AND RUNOFF AND CONTACT WITH SOIL, WATERWAYS, DRAINS AND SEWERS. OBSERVE ALL FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATIONS.

DISPOSE OF CONTAMINATED PACKAGING AS UNUSED PRODUCT

#### **SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

DOT CLASSIFICATION: THIS PRODUCT IS CONSIDERED TO BE NON-HAZARDOUS FOR TRANSPORT.

IATA-DGR CLASSIFICATION: THIS PRODUCT IS CONSIDERED TO BE NON-HAZARDOUS FOR TRANSPORT.

IMDG CLASSIFICATION: THIS PRODUCT IS CONSIDERED TO BE NON-HAZARDOUS FOR TRANSPORT.

## **SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

### **OSHA HAZARDS**

NO KNOWN OSHA HAZARDS

### **UNITED STATES REGULATORY INFORMATION**

#### **SARA (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1986-USA) SECTION 302/304 (40CFR355.30/40CFR355.40):**

NONE OF THE INGREDIENTS IS LISTED.

#### **SARA (SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1986-USA) SECTION 313:**

THIS MATERIAL DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICAL COMPONENTS WITH KNOWN CAS NUMBERS THAT EXCEED THE THRESHOLD (DE MINIMIS) REPORTING LEVELS ESTABLISHED BY SARA TITLE III, SECTION 313.

#### **SARA 311/312 HAZARDS**

NO SARA HAZARDS

#### **CALIFORNIA PROP. 65 COMPONENTS**

THIS PRODUCT DOES NOT CONTAIN ANY CHEMICALS KNOWN TO STATE OF CALIFORNIA TO CAUSE CANCER, BIRTH DEFECTS, OR ANY OTHER REPRODUCTIVE HARM.

#### **CANADA REGULATORY INFORMATION**

WHMIS CLASSIFICATION: NOT CONTROLLED UNDER WHMIS.

#### **EU REGULATORY INFORMATION**

THIS PRODUCT IS NOT CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO EU LEGISLATION.

## **SECTION 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. THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS BELIEVED TO BE CORRECT, BE ALL INCLUSIVE AND SHALL BE USED ONLY AS A GUIDE. CYTOSKELETON INC. SHALL NOT BE HELD LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGE RESULTING FROM CONTACT WITH THE ABOVE PRODUCT.

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