

# Safety Data Sheet

According to Hazardous Products Regulation (SOR/2015-17)

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## SECTION 1: Identification

### Product identifier

Trade name/designation:	Sodium acetate, 3M, pH 5.2 BIOTECHNOLOGY GRADE
Product No.:	E498
Synonyms:	none
CAS No.:	not applicable
Other means of identification:	

### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Recommended use:	For Further Manufacturing Use Only
Uses advised against:	Not for Human or Animal Drug Use

### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

#### Supplier

##### **VWR International**

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#### Preparation Information

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## SECTION 2: Hazard identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Hazardous Products Regulation (SOR/2015-17)

This mixture is classified as not hazardous according to Hazardous Products Regulation (SOR/2015-17)

## 2.2 Label elements

### Labelling in accordance with (SOR/2015-17)

According to Hazardous Products Regulation (SOR/2015-17) the product does not have to be labelled.

**Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)**  
none

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substances

not applicable

### 3.2 Mixtures

This mixture does not contain any substances presenting a health or environmental hazard within the meaning of Hazardous Products Regulation (SOR/2015-17)

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

#### General information

When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice. Change contaminated, saturated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not leave affected person unattended.

#### In case of inhalation

Remove casualty to fresh air and keep warm and at rest. Obtain medical attention if symptoms appear.

#### In case of skin contact

Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. In case of skin reactions, consult a physician.

#### After eye contact:

Rinse immediately carefully and thoroughly with eye-bath or water. Obtain medical attention if symptoms appear.

#### In case of ingestion

Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Call a doctor if you feel unwell.

#### Self-protection of the first aider

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection!

### 4.2 Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed

No known symptoms to date.

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

No special information on medical attention and special treatment available.

## SECTION 5: Fire fighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### **Suitable extinguishing media**

The product itself does not burn.

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

Water.

Foam.

Alcohol resistant foam.

Dry extinguishing powder.

#### **Extinguishing media which must not be used for safety reasons**

Full water jet.

### 5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical

In case of fire may be liberated:

Pyrolysis products, toxic

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Do not breathe gas/fume/vapor/spray.

Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable distance.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

For non-emergency personnel: Do not breathe dust. Use a dust mask if there is a lot of dust. Remove victim out of the danger area. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Provide adequate ventilation.

### 6.2 Environmental precautions

No special environmental measures are necessary.

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

Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Rinse affected areas with water. Dispose according to legislation.

### 6.4 Reference to other sections

Personal protection equipment (PPE): see section 8 Disposal information: see section 13

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

All work processes must always be designed so that the following is as low as possible:

Inhalation.

Skin contact.

Eye contact.

Use extractor hood (laboratory).

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

If local exhaust ventilation is not possible or not sufficient, the entire working area must be ventilated by technical means.

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide eye shower and label its location conspicuously.

## 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Recommended storage temperature: Store between 15 °C and 30 °C. (Storage conditions determined by quality aspects.)  
Keep container tightly closed and in a well-ventilated place. Keep/Store only in original container.

## 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1.2 no other specific uses are stipulated.

# SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

## 8.1 Control parameters

Does not contain substances above concentration limits fixing an occupational exposure limit.

## 8.2 Engineering controls

### Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment. If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.

### Personal protection equipment (PPE)

Wear suitable protective clothing. When handling with chemical substances, protective clothing must be worn.

#### *Eye/face protection*

Eye glasses with side protection

#### *Skin protection*

Wear suitable gloves. When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn. In the case of wanting to use the gloves again, clean them before taking off and air them well. Check leak tightness/impermeability prior to use.

#### By short-term hand contact

Suitable material:	NBR (Nitrile rubber)
Thickness of the glove material:	0,12 mm
Breakthrough time	> 480 min

#### By long-term hand contact

Suitable material:	NBR (Nitrile rubber)
Thickness of the glove material:	0,38 mm
Breakthrough time	> 480 min

#### *Respiratory protection*

Usually no personal respiratory protection necessary.

#### *Additional information*

Wash hands before breaks and after work. Avoid contact with eyes and skin. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Provide eye shower and label its location conspicuously.

#### *Environmental exposure controls*

no data available

## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	
Physical state:	liquid
Color:	colorless
Odor:	no data available

#### Safety relevant basic data

pH:	5.2 (20 °C)
Melting point/freezing point:	no data available
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	no data available
Flash point:	no data available
Flammability:	not applicable
Lower and upper explosion limit	
Lower explosion limit:	no data available
Upper explosion limit:	no data available
Vapor pressure:	no data available
Relative vapour density:	no data available
Density and/or relative density	
Density:	no data available
Solubility(ies)	
Water solubility:	no data available
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	no data available
Auto-ignition temperature:	no data available
Decomposition temperature:	not applicable
Viscosity	
Kinematic viscosity:	no data available
Dynamic viscosity:	no data available
Particle characteristics:	does not apply to liquids

### 9.2 Other information

Evaporation rate:	no data available
Explosive properties:	no data available
Oxidising properties:	not applicable
Bulk density:	no data available
Refraction index:	no data available
Dissociation constant:	no data available
Surface tension:	no data available
Henry's Law Constant:	no data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

This material is non-reactive under normal conditions.

## 10.2 Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under standard ambient conditions (room temperature).

## 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No further relevant information available.

## 10.4 Conditions to avoid

No further relevant information available.

## 10.5 Incompatible materials:

No further relevant information available.

## 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No known hazardous decomposition products.

Decomposition products in case of fire: see section 5.

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

## 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

### Acute effects

*Acute oral toxicity:*

no data available

*Acute dermal toxicity:*

no data available

*Acute inhalation toxicity:*

no data available

### Irritant and corrosive effects:

*Primary irritation to the skin:*

not applicable

*Irritation to eyes:*

not applicable

*Irritation to respiratory tract:*

not applicable

### Respiratory or skin sensitization

In case of skin contact: not sensitizing

In case of inhalation: not sensitizing

### STOT-single exposure

not applicable

### STOT-repeated exposure

not applicable

**CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)****Carcinogenicity**

No indication of human carcinogenicity.

**Germ cell mutagenicity**

No indications of human germ cell mutagenicity exist.

**Reproductive toxicity**

No indications of human reproductive toxicity exist.

**Aspiration hazard**

not applicable

**Other adverse effects**

no data available

**Additional information**

no data available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

**Fish toxicity:**

no data available

**Daphnia toxicity:**

no data available

**Algae toxicity:**

no data available

**Bacteria toxicity:**

no data available

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

no data available

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water: no data available

### 12.4 Mobility in soil:

no data available

### 12.5 Results of PBT/vPvB assessment

not applicable

### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to the environment.

## 12.7 Other adverse effects

no data available

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Appropriate disposal / Product

Dispose according to legislation. Consult the appropriate local waste disposal expert about waste disposal. Waste requires monitoring.

Waste code product: no data available

#### Appropriate disposal / Package

Dispose according to legislation. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

#### Additional information

none

No further relevant information available.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Land transport (TDG)

14.1	UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2	UN proper shipping name:	not assigned
14.3	Transport hazard class(es):	none
14.4	Packing group:	not assigned
14.5	Environmental hazards:	none
14.6	Special precautions for user:	none

### Sea transport (IMDG)

14.1	UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2	UN proper shipping name:	not assigned
14.3	Transport hazard class(es):	none
14.4	Packing group:	not assigned
14.5	Environmental hazards:	none
14.6	Special precautions for user:	none
14.7	Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	not relevant



**Air transport (ICAO-TI / IATA-DGR)**

14.1	UN number or ID number:	No dangerous good in sense of this transport regulation.
14.2	UN proper shipping name:	not assigned
14.3	Transport hazard class(es):	none
14.4	Packing group:	not assigned
14.5	Special precautions for user:	none

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

Domestic Substance List:

## SECTION 16: Other information

### Abbreviations and acronyms

ACGIH - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists  
DOT - Department of Transportation  
IARC - International Agency for Research on Cancer  
IATA-DGR - International Air Transport Association-Dangerous Goods Regulations  
ICAO-TI - International Civil Aviation Organization-Technical Instructions  
IMDG - International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods  
LTV - Long Term Value  
NIOSH - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
NTP - National Toxicology Program  
OSHA - Occupational Safety & Health Administration  
PBT - Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
PEL - Permissible Exposure Limit  
STV - Short Term Value  
SVHC - Substances of Very High Concern  
TDG - Transport of Dangerous Goods  
TLV - Threshold Limit Value  
vPvB - very Persistent, very Bioaccumulative

### Key literature references and sources for data

This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared based on information available for public as TOXNET information, European Chemicals Agency (ECHA) substance dossier, papers from international cancer research institutes (IARC Monographs), U.S. National Toxicology Program data, U.S. Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Control (ATSDR), PubChem websites and SDS from our raw material manufacturers.

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### Additional information

Indication of changes

Review and revision of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7 and 10.

If you need an explanation of the change, contact the supplier (SDS@avantorsciences.com).

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