



# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET FOR IMMULITE VITAMIN B12 SAMPLE DILUENT LVBZ

## 1 PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

TRADE NAME: IMMULITE Vitamin B12 Sample Diluent

PRODUCT CODE: LVBZ

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PRODUCT COMPONENTS & CATALOG NUMBERS: Vitamin B12 Sample Diluent LVBZ

PRODUCT FORMAL NAME: Diagnostic Reagent

PRODUCT CHEMICAL NAME: Aqueous Solution

## 2 HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Kit Component(s): LVBZ

Hazardous Component	Percent	CAS Number	EEC Classification	Symbol	Index #
Human Serum	--	--	--	--	--

## 3 HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

Human Serum (or its components) used in the manufacture of components was found non-reactive for HIV-1 antibody, non-reactive for HbsAg, and non-reactive for HCV when tested with licensed reagents. However, no known test method can offer absolute assurance that products derived from human serum will not be infectious. **Handle as if capable of transmitting disease.**

## 4 FIRST AID MEASURES

**EYE CONTACT:** Flush with copious amounts of fresh water for at least 15 minutes.

**SKIN CONTACT:** Wash well with mild soap and copious amounts of fresh water. Remove any contaminated clothing. Flush skin surface with additional water.

**INGESTION:** Flush mouth with copious amounts of water. Do not swallow rinse water.

**INHALATION:** Remove victim to fresh air. If breathing is labored, administer oxygen as needed. If victim is not breathing, administer artificial respiration or CPR.

***If warranted, seek medical attention. If possible, save sample of material that caused reaction for use in determination of appropriate treatment.***

## 5 FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEASURES

Use extinguishing media appropriate to surrounding fire. No special equipment or procedures are required. There is no explosion potential.

## 6 ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Absorb spills of reagents and patient samples with absorbent paper, taking care not to spread the material. Clean spill area with a freshly made 0.5% sodium hypochlorite (bleach) solution. Discard all materials used to absorb spill and disinfect area into biohazard waste collection for proper disposal.

## 7 HANDLING AND STORAGE

**HANDLING:** Do not eat, drink, smoke or apply cosmetics in laboratory areas. Do not pipet patient samples or reagents by mouth. Avoid splashing or aerosol formation. Use all reagents in accordance with the relevant package insert. Avoid high temperatures and keep from freezing during transport.

**STORAGE:** Store all reagents as directed in the relevant package insert.

## 8 EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Wear appropriate personal protective equipment when working with reagents or patient specimens, including lab coats, disposable gloves and eye protection. Avoid hand/mouth contact. Wash hands as soon as possible after handling reagents or patient specimens.

**Control Parameters of Hazardous Ingredients:**

Not Applicable



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## 9 PHYSICAL & CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical State: Liquid

Color: Clear

Odor: None

pH: N/A

Boiling Point: 100°C

Melting Point: 0°C

Flash Point: N/A

Inflammability: N/A

Autoinflammability: N/A

Explosiveness: N/A

Oxidizing Properties: N/A

Vapor Pressure: N/A

Relative Density: N/A

Solubility in water: Complete

## 10 STABILITY & REACTIVITY

The reagents in the kit are stable under the storage conditions described in the package insert. Hazardous decomposition will not occur. There are no known strong incompatibilities.

## 11 TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not applicable

## 12 ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not applicable

## 13 DISPOSAL

Dispose in accordance with applicable laws.

## 14 TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Proper Shipping Name: In vitro diagnostic reagents

Hazard Class: None

Identification Number: None

## 15 REGULATORY INFORMATION

Pursuant to U.S. OSHA regulations and the EEC Directive Number 88/379, the only hazardous ingredients associated with this product are those listed in Section 2 above.

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The user should determine the suitability of this information for the intended use of the product and adopt appropriate safety precautions. DPC shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. Contact DPC for further information.

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