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Manufacturer:

1. Identification of Substance/Preparation and of the Company

Product name: Liquid Paraffin Cat. No.: 1010

Product use: Liquid Paraffin is used as oil

overlay for culture media during IVF and ICSI

procedures.

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2. Hazard Identification

The product has been classified as non-hazardous in accordance with CLP Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008. In accordance with the Directive the product has not been classified as flammable due to its relatively high flash point (>182°C).

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

 Component
 CAS#
 EC No
 Approx. %

 Liquid paraffin*
 8042-47-5
 232-455-8
 100

*prewashed with a physiological salt buffer containing human serum albumin (HSA)

4. First-Aid Measures

Inhalation: Remove to fresh air. If breathing becomes difficult, consult a physician.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. If swallowed consult a physician.

Skin: Wash with soap and plenty of water. If irritation develops, consult a physician Eyes: Flush with copious amounts of water. Assure adequate flushing by separating the

eyelids with fingers. If irritation develops, consult a physician.

Other information: Aspiration of liquid paraffin mist may cause lipoid pneumonia.

5. Fire Fighting Measures

Extinguishing media: Dry chemical, foam, carbon dioxide. Do not use water spray as

this will scatter the fire.

Special fire fighting procedure: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to

prevent contact with skin and eyes.

Specific hazards: Fire will produce dense black smoke containing hazardous combustion products

6. Accidental Release Measures

Ensure adequate ventilation. Absorb on suitable absorbent, such as paper tissue. Wash spill site after material pickup is complete with detergent and water.

7. Handling and Storage

Store in original container at 2-8°C, protected from light and oxidizing agents.

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling.



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9. Physiological and Chemical properties

Appearance: A clear, colourless liquid

Odour:

Boiling point:

Vapour Pressure:

Specific Gravity:

Vapour Density:

N/A

Melting Point:

Solubility H₂O:

Insoluble

Evaporation Rate: N/A
Flash Point: >182°C
Flammable Limits: N/A

10. Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable

Conditions to avoid: Avoid excessive heat and open flames.

Incompatibility: Avoid oxidizing agents

Hazardous Decomposition

or by-products: Stable at room temperature

Hazardous polymerisation: Will not occur

11. Toxicological Information

Acute toxicity: May cause eye or skin irritation with susceptible persons. If aerosols are generated,

inhalation may lead to oedemas in the respiratory tract.

Long term toxicity: Eye and skin irritation.

12. Ecological Information

Prevent product from entering sewage system.

Biological effects: LL50>1000 mg/l

13. Disposal Considerations

Dispose of as medical waste.

14. Transportation Information

Classified as non-hazardous for transport.

15. Regulatory Information

The product has been evaluated in accordance with CLP Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008. The product has been classified as non-hazardous.



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