

Material Safety Data Sheet
According to Regulation (EC) No: 1907/2006

Vacupette
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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCES/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY UNDERTAKING

PRODUCT NAME: Vacupette

APPLICATION: Disposable tube for erythrocyte sedimentation rate estimation.

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2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

No hazards identified - no chemical constituents

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Pipette manufactured from clear polystyrene. Printed with graduations 200 to 0 mm. Cotton plug in one end at 0 mark
Filling valve at opposite end manufactured from blue propylene.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Not applicable

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

No special measures required

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Not applicable

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Store in a cool dry place

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit. Not applicable

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

APPEARANCE clear polystyrene tube with white printed graduations and blue filling valve at one end

ODOUR Not applicable

SOLUBILITY Insoluble in water

pH-VALUE, DILUTED SOLUTION Not applicable

DECOMPOSITION TEMPERATURE Polystyrene 240°C. Polypropylene between 130°C & 171°C

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

STABILITY: Stable under normal temperature conditions.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID: Avoid contact with solvents. Avoid exposure to high temperatures

HAZARD DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS: Complete oxidation of polystyrene produces carbon dioxide and water, Partial oxidation may release carbon monoxide.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Not applicable

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

DEGRADABILITY: This product is not biodegradable.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

DISPOSAL METHODS: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

UK ROAD CLASS NA

PROPER SHIPPING NAME NA

ROAD TRANSPORT NOTES NA

AIR TRANSPORT NOTES Not Classified

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Polystyrene is classified according to DIN4102 as a B3 product – meaning highly flammable or easily ignited.

No Special labelling requirements

No Risk phrases

No Safety Phrases

16. OTHER INFORMATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

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