

Safety Data Sheet

Section 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1 Product identifiers

Product name: ReadiUse™ 4% formaldehyde fixation solution
Product number: 20010

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

Identified uses: For research use only. Not intended for diagnostic or therapeutic use.

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company: AAT Bioquest, Inc.
Address: 5775 W Las Positas Blvd, Pleasanton, CA 94588
Telephone: (408)-733-1055
Fax: (408)-733-1304
Email: info@aatbio.com

1.4 Emergency telephone number

Chemtrec (Within USA): 1-(800)-424-9300
Chemtrec (Outside USA): 1-(703)-527-3887

Section 2: Hazard identifications

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not evaluated; GHS hazards have not been determined.

2.2 Label elements

Signal word: Not available
Hazard statements: Not available
Symbols/Pictograms: Not available
Precautionary statements - prevention: Not available
Precautionary statements - response: Not available
Precautionary statements - storage: Not available
Precautionary statements - disposal: Not available

2.3 Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC) or not covered by GHS

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC): Not available

2.4 Other information

Other hazards: Not available

Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1 Substances

Chemical name:	ReadiUse™ 4% formaldehyde fixation solution
CAS number:	Not available
Molecular weight:	Not applicable
Formula:	Not available

Section 4: First aid measures

4.1 First-aid measures

General advice:	If symptoms occur, seek medical advice/attention.
Eye contact:	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.
Skin contact:	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Consult a physician if necessary.
Inhalation:	Not expected to be an inhalation hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use of this material. Consult a physician if necessary.
Ingestion:	Not expected to present a significant ingestion hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use. Consult a physician if necessary.
Self-protection of the first aider:	Use personal protective equipment.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms:	No information available.
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4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Note to physicians:	Treat symptomatically.
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Section 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Suitable extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media:	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
Unsuitable extinguishing media:	No information available.

5.2 Specific hazards arising from the chemical

Specific hazards arising from the chemical:	No information available.
Hazardous combustion products:	No information available.

5.3 Explosion data

Sensitivity to mechanical impact:	No information available.
Sensitivity to static discharge:	No information available.

5.4 Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters:	Standard procedure for chemical fires.
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Section 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures

Personal precautions:	Use appropriate personal protective equipment. Ensure adequate ventilation.
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6.2 Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Avoid discharge into drains and waterways whenever possible.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for containment: Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up: Take up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal.

Section 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling: Use personal protective equipment as required. No special handling advices are necessary.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Keep in a properly-labeled container. Keep the container tightly closed in a cool, dry and well-ventilated place.

Incompatible materials: No information available.

Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1 Control parameters

Exposure guidelines: No information available.

8.2 Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering controls: Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

8.3 Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection: Tight sealing safety goggles.

Skin and body protection: Wear protective gloves and clothing.

Respiratory protection: In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment.

General hygiene considerations: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Keep away from food, drink, and animal feeding stuffs.

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

Physical state: Liquid

Solubility in water: High

Appearance: No information available.

Odor/odor threshold: No information available.

pH: No information available.

Melting point/freezing point: No information available.

Boiling point: No information available.

Flashpoint: No information available.

Liquid density: No information available.

Evaporation rate: No information available.

Upper flammability limit: No information available.

Lower flammability limit: No information available.

Vapor pressure: No information available.

Vapor density: No information available.

Specific gravity:	No information available.
Water solubility:	No information available.
Solubility in other solvents:	No information available.
Partition coefficient:	No information available.
Autoignition temperature:	No information available.
Decomposition temperature:	No information available.
Viscosity:	No information available.
Explosive properties:	No information available.
Oxidizing properties:	No information available.

Section 10: Stability and reactivity

Reactivity:	None known.
Chemical stability:	Stable under normal conditions.
Possibility of hazardous reactions:	Hazardous reaction has not been reported.
Hazardous polymerization:	No information available.
Conditions to avoid:	No information available.
Incompatible materials:	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
Hazardous decomposition products:	No information available.

Section 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation:	No information available.
Eye contact:	No information available.
Skin contact:	No information available.
Ingestion:	No information available.

11.2 Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms:	No information available.
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11.3 Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Chronic toxicity:	No information available.
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11.4 Numerical measures of toxicity - product information

Unknown acute toxicity:	No information available.
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Section 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity:	No information available.
Persistence and degradability:	No information available.
Bioaccumulation:	No information available.
Mobility:	No information available.

Section 13: Disposal consideration

Disposal of wastes:	Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.
Contaminated packaging:	Do not reuse container.

Other information: None

Section 14: Transport information

DOT: Not regulated
IMDG: Not regulated
IATA: Not regulated

Section 15: Regulatory information

15.1 International Inventories

US Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA): Not listed
Canada (DSL/NDSL): Not listed
Europe (EINECS/ELINCS/NLP): Not listed
Australia (AICS): Not listed
South Korea (KECL): Not listed
China (IECSC): Not listed
Japan (ENCS): Not listed
Phillipines (PICCS): Not listed

15.2 US Federal Regulations

SARA 313: Not listed
SARA 311/312 components: Not listed
CWA (Clean Water Act): No information available.

15.3 US State Regulations

California Proposition 65: Not listed
Massachusetts-RTK: Not listed
New Jersey-RTK: Not listed
Pennsylvania-RTK: Not listed
U.S. State Right-To-Know Regulations: No information available.

Section 16: Other information

16.1 HMIS

Health hazards: Not determined
Flammability: Not determined
Reactivity: Not determined
Personal protection: Not determined

16.2 NFPA

Health hazards: Not determined
Flammability: Not determined
Stability: Not determined
Physical and chemical properties: Not determined

16.3 Further information

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