



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. Identification

### Product identifier

Product name Monarch Plasmid Lysis Buffer (B2)

### Other means of identification

Product No T1012

UN/ID No UN1760

Synonyms None

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use This product is for research and development only

### Restrictions on use

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

#### Supplier Address

New England BioLabs  
240 County Road  
Ipswich, MA 01938  
USA

### Emergency telephone number

Company Phone Number 978-927-5054, 800-632-5227 (toll free)

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

### Classification

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A
Corrosive to metals	Category 1

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

### Label elements

#### Warning

#### Hazard statements

Causes skin irritation  
Causes serious eye irritation  
May be corrosive to metals



**Appearance** Blue/Green

**Physical state** Liquid

**Odor** Mild

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling  
Keep only in original packaging  
Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing  
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention  
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap  
If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention  
Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse  
Absorb spillage to prevent material damage

#### Other information

Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

### 3. Composition/information on ingredients

#### Substance

Not applicable.

#### Mixture

Chemical name	CAS No	Weight-%	Trade secret
Trade Secret	Trade secret	1 - 5	*
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\* The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

### 4. First-aid measures

#### Description of first aid measures

<b>General advice</b>	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician.
<b>Self-protection of the first aider</b>	Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear personal protective clothing (see section 8).

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

**Symptoms** May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation.

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

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

### 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Suitable Extinguishing Media</b>	Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.
<b>Large Fire</b>	CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	No information available.
<b>Explosion data</b>	
<b>Sensitivity to mechanical impact</b>	None.
<b>Sensitivity to static discharge</b>	None.

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters** Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## 6. Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required.

**Other information** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

### 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** Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

## 7. Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Protect from moisture. Store locked up. Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from other materials.

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** The following ingredients are the only ingredients of the product above the cut-off level (or level that contributes to the hazard classification of the mixture) which have an exposure limit applicable in the region for which this safety data sheet is intended or other recommended limit. At this time, the other relevant constituents have no known exposure limits from the sources listed here.

Chemical name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH
Trade Secret	Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	TWA: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (vacated) Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	IDLH: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Ceiling: 2 mg/m <sup>3</sup>

**Other information** Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992).

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering controls** Showers

Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**

<b>Eye/face protection</b>	If splashes are likely to occur, wear safety glasses with side-shields.
<b>Hand protection</b>	Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.
<b>Skin and body protection</b>	Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing.
<b>Respiratory protection</b>	No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.
<b>General hygiene considerations</b>	Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

## **9. Physical and chemical properties**

### **Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical state</b>	Liquid
<b>Appearance</b>	Blue/Green
<b>Color</b>	No information available
<b>Odor</b>	Mild
<b>Odor threshold</b>	No information available

<b><u>Property</u></b>	<b><u>Values</u></b>	<b><u>Remarks • Method</u></b>
<b>pH</b>	13.00-13.20	
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flash point</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		None known
<b>Upper flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Vapor density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Relative density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Water solubility</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	248 °C / 478.4 °F	
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>		None known
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No data available	None known

### **Other information**

<b>Explosive properties</b>	No information available
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	No information available
<b>Softening point</b>	No information available
<b>Molecular weight</b>	No information available
<b>VOC content</b>	No information available
<b>Liquid Density</b>	No information available
<b>Bulk density</b>	No information available

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	No information available.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	None under normal processing.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Oxidizing agent. Strong acids. Strong bases.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	None known based on information supplied.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

#### Product Information

<b>Inhalation</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye irritation. (based on components). May cause redness, itching, and pain.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based on components).
<b>Ingestion</b>	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

<b>Symptoms</b>	Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.
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### Acute toxicity

#### Numerical measures of toxicity

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

<b>ATEmix (oral)</b>	21,599.60 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (dermal)</b>	9,310.30 mg/kg
<b>ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)</b>	48.70 mg/l

#### Component Information

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Trade Secret	= 1288 mg/kg ( Rat ) > 2000 mg/kg ( Rat ) = 1783 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 200 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	> 3900 mg/m <sup>3</sup> ( Rat ) 1 h
Trade Secret	= 325 mg/kg ( Rat )	= 1350 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes skin irritation. May cause skin
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irritation.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation.**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No information available.**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.**Carcinogenicity** No information available.**Reproductive toxicity** No information available.**STOT - single exposure** No information available.**STOT - repeated exposure** No information available.**Target organ effects** Respiratory system, Eyes, Skin.**Aspiration hazard** No information available.**Other adverse effects** No information available.**Interactive effects** No information available.

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Trade Secret	EC50: =53mg/L (72h, <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i> ) EC50: 30 - 100mg/L (96h, <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i> ) EC50: =117mg/L (96h, <i>Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata</i> ) EC50: 3.59 - 15.6mg/L (96h, <i>Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata</i> ) EC50: =38mg/L (96h, <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i> ) EC50: =42mg/L (96h, <i>Desmodesmus subspicatus</i> )	LC50: 15 - 18.9mg/L (96h, <i>Pimephales promelas</i> ) LC50: 8 - 12.5mg/L (96h, <i>Pimephales promelas</i> ) LC50: 22.1 - 22.8mg/L (96h, <i>Pimephales promelas</i> ) LC50: 4.3 - 8.5mg/L (96h, <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> ) LC50: =4.62mg/L (96h, <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> ) LC50: =4.2mg/L (96h, <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i> ) LC50: =7.97mg/L (96h, <i>Brachydanio rerio</i> ) LC50: 9.9 - 20.1mg/L (96h, <i>Brachydanio rerio</i> ) LC50: 4.06 - 5.75mg/L (96h, <i>Lepomis</i> )	-	EC50: =1.8mg/L (48h, <i>Daphnia magna</i> )

		macrochirus) LC50: 4.2 - 4.8mg/L (96h, Lepomis macrochirus) LC50: =4.5mg/L (96h, Lepomis macrochirus) LC50: 5.8 - 7.5mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: 10.2 - 22.5mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: 6.2 - 9.6mg/L (96h, Pimephales promelas) LC50: 13.5 - 18.3mg/L (96h, Poecilia reticulata) LC50: 10.8 - 16.6mg/L (96h, Poecilia reticulata) LC50: =1.31mg/L (96h, Cyprinus carpio)		
Trade Secret	-	LC50: =45.4mg/L (96h, Oncorhynchus mykiss)	-	-

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulation**

**Component Information**

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Trade Secret	1.6

**Other adverse effects** No information available.

**13. Disposal considerations**

**Waste treatment methods**

**Waste from residues/unused products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Do not reuse empty containers.

**US EPA Waste Number** D002.

**California Hazardous Waste Status** This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

**14. Transport information**

**DOT**

**UN/ID No** UN1760  
**Proper shipping name** CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.  
**Transport hazard class(es)** 8  
**Packing group** II

**TDG**

**MEX**



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UN number or ID number	UN1760
Proper shipping name	CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S.
Transport hazard class(es)	8
Packing group	II

IMDGRIDADRADN**15. Regulatory information**International Inventories

**TSCA** Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

\*Contact supplier for details. One or more substances in this product are either not listed on the US TSCA inventory, listed on the confidential US TSCA inventory or are otherwise exempted from inventory listing requirements

<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>ENCS</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>IECSC</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>KECL</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>PICCS</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>AIIC</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>NZIoC</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

**Legend:**

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory  
**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List  
**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances  
**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances  
**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances  
**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances  
**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances  
**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances  
**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

US Federal Regulations**SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372.

**SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories**

Should this product meet EPCRA 311/312 Tier reporting criteria at 40 CFR 370, refer to Section 2 of this SDS for appropriate classifications.

**CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product contains the following substances which are regulated pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42).

Chemical name	CWA - Reportable	CWA - Toxic Pollutants	CWA - Priority Pollutants	CWA - Hazardous
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	Quantities			Substances
Trade Secret	1000 lb	-	-	X

**CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, contains one or more substances regulated as a hazardous substance under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302).

Chemical name	Hazardous Substances RQs	Extremely Hazardous Substances RQs	Reportable Quantity (RQ)
Trade Secret	1000 lb	-	RQ 1000 lb final RQ RQ 454 kg final RQ

**US State Regulations****California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals.

**U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Trade Secret	X	X	X

**U.S. EPA Label Information**

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not applicable

**16. Other information**

<b>NFPA</b>	<b>Health hazards</b> 3	<b>Flammability</b> 1	<b>Instability</b> 0	<b>Special hazards</b> -
<b>HMIS</b>	<b>Health hazards</b> 3	<b>Flammability</b> 1	<b>Physical hazards</b> 0	<b>Personal protection</b> X

**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet****Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	*	Skin designation

**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)  
 EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)  
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
 Food Research Journal  
 Hazardous Substance Database  
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
 National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)  
 Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
 National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
 National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
 New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program

Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
World Health Organization

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Chemical name	California Hazardous Waste Status
Trade Secret	Toxic Corrosive