

## Safety Data Sheet

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product Name: Corticosterone EIA Kit  
Product number: YK240  
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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

GHS classification  
Classification of the substance or mixture 6)

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Dusts/Mists)          | Category 4  |
| Skin corrosion/irritation                          | Category 1A |
| Serious eye damage/eye irritation                  | Category 1  |
| Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)   | Category 1  |
| Category 1 respiratory system                      |             |
| Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure) | Category 1  |
| Category 1 respiratory system                      |             |

Pictograms



Signal word            Danger

Hazard statements

H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage  
H318 - Causes serious eye damage  
H332 - Harmful if inhaled  
H370 - Causes damage to the following organs: respiratory system  
H372 - Causes damage to the following organs through prolonged or repeated exposure:  
respiratory system

**Precautionary statements-(Prevention)**

**Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray**

**Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling.**

**Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.**

**Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.**

**Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.**

**Precautionary statements-(Response)**

**IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting.**

**IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.**

**IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.**

**IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.**

**Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician.**

**Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.**

**Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.**

**Precautionary statements-(Storage)**

**Store locked up**

**Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.**

**Precautionary statements-(Disposal)**

**Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant**

**Others**

**Other hazards Not available**

**Other reagents may be harmful if inhaled and ingested. May cause eye and skin irritation.**



ashes or other incombustible absorbents, and put in a container to be sealed. After completely picked up, dispose. In case of spill of solid or powder material, prevent causing dust, sweep and collect, and put in a container to be sealed. Wash the spill site with water.

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## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

**Handling:** Obtain a package insert before use.  
Read all the cautions for safety in the package insert before use.  
Avoid strong light.  
Avoid contact, inhalation and swallow.  
Use only in open air or ventilated area.  
Prevent from entering eyes.  
Ventilate the area to keep concentration in air below exposure limits.  
Avoid inhalation of mist, vapor and spray of material.  
Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.  
Do not smoke and eat while using this kit.  
Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
Prevent from entering environment.  
Handle materials with suitable protection.  
Use suitable equipments.  
Do not pipette by mouth.  
Do not leak, overflow and scatter.  
Do not fall down and damage.

**Storage:** Store away from sunlight in a cool and dark place at 36-47°F (2-8°C).

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## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS, PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Engineering measures:** General ventilation and/or local exhaust ventilation as well as process isolation is necessary to minimize employee exposure and maintain exposure limits below exposure limits. Equip eye flushing facilities and shower rooms near operating place where this kit is handled or stored.

**Control parameter:**

|                      |                            |
|----------------------|----------------------------|
| ⑥ OSHA Final Limits; | TWA= 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   |
| JSOH (Japan);        | TWA= 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>   |
| ACGIH TLV(s);        | TWA= 0.2 mg/m <sup>3</sup> |

**Personal protection:**

Respiratory protection; NIOSH and MSHA approved respirator.  
Hand protection; Suitable impervious gloves.  
Eye protection; Suitable safety glasses (goggles).  
Skin protection; Suitable protective clothing.

**Others:** Wash hands thoroughly after handling materials.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

|                           | 1)              | 2)                             | 3)                           | 4)                           | 5)                              | 6)                           | 7)                           | 8)                           | 9)                           | 10)                                |
|---------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Appearance                | Colorless plate | White color lyophilized powder | Colorless transparent liquid | Colorless transparent liquid | Colorless to pale yellow liquid | Colorless transparent liquid | Colorless transparent liquid | Colorless transparent liquid | Colorless transparent liquid | Colorless transparent polymersheet |
| pH                        | N/A             | N/A                            | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | 3.3-3.8                         | D/N/A                        | 6.8                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |
| Melting point             | N/A             | D/N/A                          | N/A                          | N/A                          | N/A                             | N/A                          | N/A                          | N/A                          | N/A                          | N/A                                |
| Boiling point             | N/A             | N/A                            | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                           | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |
| Flash point               | N/A             | D/N/A                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                           | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |
| Explosive limits          | N/A             | D/N/A                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | Not explosive                   | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |
| Vapor pressure            | N/A             | D/N/A                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                           | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |
| Vapor density (air=1)     | N/A             | D/N/A                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                           | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |
| Specific gravity          | D/N/A           | D/N/A                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | 1.01                            | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                              |
| Solubility in water       | Insoluble       | Soluble                        | Mixable                      | Mixable                      | Mixable                         | Mixable                      | Mixable                      | Mixable                      | Mixable                      | Insoluble                          |
| Decomposition temperature | N/A             | D/N/A                          | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                           | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | D/N/A                        | N/A                                |

N/A: Not applicable;

D/N/A: data not available

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

|                                       |   |
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| Chemical stability:                   | Product is stable under normal handling.  |
| Shelf life:                           | Stable up to 24 months after manufacturing.   |
| Hazardous polymerization:             | Will not occur.   |
| Conditions to avoid:                  | Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight, heat, flames and sparks, static electricity, spark, moisture |
| Incompatibility with other materials: | Alkaline substances, metals, strong oxidizing agents  |
| Hazardous decomposition products:     | Sulfur oxides(SOx), Carbon monoxide(CO), carbon dioxide(CO2), Nitrogen oxides(NOx)                        |

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information as the mixture is not available.

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| Acute toxicity | : 5) Not classified   |
|                | 6) Sulfuric acid (inhalation, rat); 2H LC50=510mg/m3 (oral, rat) LD50=2140mg/kg<br>Category 4<br>Hazard statement; Harmful if inhaled.<br>Content=9.69% |
|                | 9) Tween 20 (oral, rat); LD50=37000mg/kg<br>Sodium chloride (oral, rat); LD50=3000mg/kg<br>Not classified   |

Skin corrosion/irritation:

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; Based on the NITE GHS classification.  
Category 1A  
Hazard statement; Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

- Content=9.69%
- 9) Tween 20 (skin, human); 15mg/3days, Mild
  - Sodium chloride (skin, rabbit); 500mg/24H, Mild
  - Category 3
  - Hazard statement: Skin irritant

**Serious eye damage/irritation:**

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; Based on the NITE GHS classification results.  
Category 1  
Hazard statement: Causes serious eye damage.  
Content=9.69%
- 9) Tween 20 (eye); R-phase(s) =R36 (Irritating to eyes)
- Sodium chloride (eye, rabbit); 100mg/24H, Medium
- Category 2B
- Hazard statement: Causes eye irritation.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:**

**Respiratory sensitization**

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; No data available.

**Skin sensitization**

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; No data available.

**Germ cell mutagenicity:**

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; No data available.

**Carcinogenicity:**

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; Occupational exposure to Mist of inorganic strong acids including sulfuric acid is classified to group 1 in IARC (to have carcinogenicity for human ), group A2 in ACGIH (suspected human carcinogens) and group K in NTP (known to have carcinogenicity for human). With respect for the evaluation by IARC and current evaluation by NTP, it should be classified to category 1, however since sulfuric acid itself is classified to Category 4 in DFGOT and is not classified to carcinogen by any other organization, component 6) cannot be classified.

**Reproductive toxicity:**

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; No data available.

Specific target organ systemic toxicity/Single exposure:

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; Based on the NITE GHS classification results.  
Category 1 respiratory system  
Hazard statement; Causes damage to the following organs: respiratory system.  
Content=9.69%

Specific target organ systemic toxicity/Repeated exposure:

- 5) Not classified
- 6) Sulfuric acid; Based on the NITE GHS classification results.  
Category 1 respiratory system  
Hazard statement; Causes damage to respiratory system with long term or repeated exposure: respiratory system.  
Content=9.69%

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information as the mixture is not available.

Aquatic environmental toxicity/Acute phase:

- 5) No information available.
- 6) Sulfuric acid; In fish (Bluegill), 96H LC50=16-28mg/L  
Daphnia magna 24H EC50=29mg/L  
Hazard statement; Harmful to aquatic life.

Aquatic environmental toxicity/Chronical phase:

- 6) Sulfuric acid; Based on the NITE GHS classification results.

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13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Dispose of all waste material including containers in accordance with all applicable laws and local environmental regulations.

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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

IATA: As a mixture, the substance is subjected to no limitations.

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15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

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|---------------|--------|
| EINECS/ELINCS | Listed |
| TSCA          | Listed |

Japanese regulations

Fire Service Act; Not applicable

Poisonous and Deleterious Substances Control Law; Not applicable

Industrial Safety and Health Act;

Group 3 Specified Chemical Substance, (Ordinance on Prevention of Hazards Due to Specified Chemical Substances Art.2 Para.1, Item 6)

Harmful Substances Whose Names Are to be Indicated on the Label  
(Law Art.57, Para.1, Enforcement Order Art.18)  
Notifiable Substances (Law Art.57-2, Enforcement Order Art.18-2  
No.613

Act on the Evaluation of Chemical Substances and Regulation of Their Manufacture, etc.:  
Priority Assessment Chemical Substances (Law Article 2, Para.5)  
Regulations for the carriage and storage of dangerous goods in ship;  
Corrosive Substances(Ordinance Art.3, Ministry of Transportation  
Ordinance Regarding Transport by Ship and Storage)

Civil Aeronautics Law:  
Corrosive Substances (Ordinance Art.194, MITL Notification for Air  
Transportation of Explosives etc.)

Air pollution Control Law; Specified substance

EU Directive 1999/45/EC; classification, packaging and labeling of dangerous Preparations

SYMBOL : C as component 6)  
R-phrases : 35 as component 6)  
S-phrases : 26-45 as component 6)

In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.  
In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately.

EC index No. : ⑤=259-364-6, ⑥=016-020-00-8  
Other ingredients=Not listed.

Follow all the regulations in your country.

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NITE: National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (JAPAN) <http://www.safe.nite.go.jp/japan/db.html>  
IATA dangerous Goods Regulations RTECS: Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances Japan  
Industrial Safety and Health Association GHS Model SDS Dictionary of Synthetic Organic Chemistry,  
SSOCJ, Koudansha Scientific Co.Ltd. Chemical Dictionary, Kyouritsu Publishing Co., Ltd. etc.

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