# **Fisher HealthCare**

# Material Safety Data Sheet for Sure-Vue® Rapid Strep A Dipstick Test

### 1. Identification of the substance/preparation and of the company/undertaking

**Product:** Fisher HealthCare Sure-Vue® Rapid Strep A Dipstick Test

#### **DISTRIBUTOR:**

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#### 2. Composition/information on ingredients

Test strip contains dry reagents (rabbit polyclonal antibodies specific to Strep A carbohydrate antigen, buffers, swab, desiccant) which is sealed in an airtight pouch that also contains a desiccant.

#### 3. Hazards identification

Physiochemical Hazard: None

Health Hazard:

The kit contains sodium azide at a concentration of <0.02% (10.8ng/test), sodium nitrite 2mol/L, positive control with Strep A cell lxl0 $^9$  org/mL and sodium azide <0.1% or lmg/mL, negative control with Strep C cell 1x10 $^8$  org/mL and sodium azide <0.1% or lmg/mL, and reagent B with acetic acid 0.4mol/L. All concentrations are below the acceptable limits specific to each chemical.

Environmental Hazard: None

#### 4. First-aid measures

Dry reagents are applied to a strip which is sealed in an airtight pouch. If the user comes into contact with the sample (throat swab) being tested, normal personal hygiene measures should be taken.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

Not Applicable.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

Not Applicable.

#### 7. Handling and storage

Store at 2-30°C.

#### 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Use good laboratory practice, including laboratory gloves and safety glasses.

#### 9. Physical and chemical properties

The strip consists of a membrane and pad materials which contain dried chemical reagents. The product is odorless.

#### 10. Stability and reactivity

The contents of the kit are stable under the conditions of use until the expiration date indicated on the corresponding label.

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#### 11. Toxicological information

Not Applicable.

#### 12. Ecological information

Not Applicable.

### 13. Disposal considerations

The used test strip should be disposed of using an autoclave or by incineration as for other waste containing biological material. Waste material must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

#### 14. Transport information

Not Applicable.

## 15. Regulatory information

Not classified as hazardous according to EEC criteria.

#### 16. Other information

None.