

ThinPrep Cerv PreservCyt Solution

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

Product Name	ThinPrep Cerv PreservCyt Solution
Specific use(s)	A methanol based, buffered preservative solution used to support cells during transport and slide preparation
Recommended Use	In vitro diagnostic
Manufacturer	Hologic Inc. 250 Campus Drive Marlborough, MA 01752 United States 1-508-263-2900
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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

GHS - Classification

Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 3
Acute toxicity - Inhalation (Vapors)	Category 3
STOT - single exposure	Category 1
Flammable liquids	Category 3

Label Elements



Signal word

Danger

Hazard Statements

- H301 - Toxic if swallowed
- H311 - Toxic in contact with skin
- H331 - Toxic if inhaled
- H370 - Causes damage to organs
- H226 - Flammable liquid and vapor

Precautionary Statements

- P210 - Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces. — No smoking
- P280 - Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection
- P261 - Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray
- P102 - Keep out of reach of children
- P270 - Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product
- P301 + P310 - IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
- P304 + P340 - IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing
- P309 + P311 - IF exposed or if you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician
- P303 + P361 + P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower
- P264 - Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling
- P370 + P378 - In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish
- P403 + P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed
- P501 - Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, and international regulations as applicable

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

Single Substance or Mixture Mixture

Component name	CAS No	%	ENCS
Methanol	67-56-1	35-55	Present

SECTION 4: First aid measures

- General advice** Immediate medical attention is required In case of accident or unwellness, seek medical advice immediately (show directions for use or safety data sheet if possible)
- Eye contact** Immediately flush with plenty of water. After initial flushing, remove any contact lenses and continue flushing for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Call a physician immediately.
- Skin Contact** Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.
- Inhalation** Immediate medical attention is required. Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Avoid direct contact with skin. Use barrier to give mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.
- Ingestion** Do NOT induce vomiting. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Drink plenty of water.
- Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.
- Self-protection of the first aider** Remove all sources of ignition

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

- Flammability** Flammable liquid and vapor.
- Suitable Extinguishing Media** Dry chemical, Foam, Carbon dioxide (CO2).

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media	Do not use a solid water stream as it may scatter and spread fire
Specific hazards arising from the chemical	Most vapors are heavier than air. They will spread along ground and collect in low or confined areas (sewers, basements, tanks) Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air Flammable
Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters	As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

Personal precautions	Remove all sources of ignition, Evacuate personnel to safe areas, Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas, Use personal protective equipment as required.
Environmental precautions	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so Prevent product from entering drains Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer system
Methods for containment	Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so, Cover powder spill with plastic sheet or tarp to minimize spreading, Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal.
Methods for cleaning up	Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel, acid binder, universal binder, sawdust). Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers. Soak up with inert absorbent material.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

Precautions for safe handling	Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep container tightly closed. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.
Advice on safe handling	Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded.
Storage	Store in accordance with local regulations. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.

SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection.

Exposure Limits

Component name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH	European Union
Methanol	STEL: 250 ppm TWA: 200 ppm S*	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 260 mg/m ³ (vacated) TWA: 200 ppm (vacated) TWA: 260 mg/m ³ (vacated) STEL: 250 ppm (vacated) STEL: 325 mg/m ³ (vacated) S*	IDLH: 6000 ppm TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 260 mg/m ³ STEL: 250 ppm STEL: 325 mg/m ³	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 260 mg/m ³ Skin

Component name	China	Japan	Korea	Australia	Taiwan	Hong Kong
Methanol	TWA: 25 mg/m ³ STEL: 50 mg/m ³ Skin	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 260 mg/m ³ Skin ISHL/ACL: 200 ppm	Skin STEL: 250 ppm TWA: 200 ppm	200 ppm 262 mg/m ³ 250 ppm STEL 328 mg/m ³ STEL	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 262 mg/m ³	TWA: 200 ppm TWA: 262 mg/m ³ STEL: 250 ppm STEL: 328 mg/m ³

Engineering Controls Provide adequate ventilation. Showers. Eyewash stations.

Personal protective equipment (PPE)

Eye/face protection	Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).
Skin and body protection	Wear protective gloves and protective clothing.
Hand Protection	Wear protective nitrile rubber gloves.
Respiratory protection	Not applicable.

Other Information

Environmental exposure controls No information available.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical State @20°C	Liquid
Appearance	Colorless, clear, Liquid
Odor	Alcohol
Color	Colorless
Odor threshold	No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>
pH	5.5
Melting point/freezing point	-48.3 °C / -55 °F
Boiling point / boiling range	71 °C / 159 °F
Flash point	26 °C / 78 °F
Method	CC (closed cup)
Evaporation rate	No information available
Flammability (solid, gas)	No information available
Flammability Limits in Air	
Upper flammability limits	36%
Lower flammability limit	13.6%
Vapor pressure	No information available
Vapor density	1.17
Relative density	No information available
Water solubility	Miscible in water
Solubility(ies)	No information available
Partition coefficient	No information available
Autoignition temperature	460 °C / 860 °F
Decomposition temperature	No information available
Viscosity	No information available
Explosive properties	No information available
Oxidizing properties	No information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
Reactivity	None under normal use conditions
Materials to avoid	Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Metals.
Incompatible materials	Strong oxidizing agents. Acids. Metals.
Conditions to avoid	Heat, flames and sparks.
Hazardous Decomposition Products	None under normal use conditions.

Hazardous polymerization None under normal use conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions None under normal use conditions.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

Toxicological information

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information May be harmful by inhalation, ingestion, or skin absorption.
Inhalation Harmful by inhalation
Eye contact May cause irritation
Skin Contact Harmful in contact with skin
Ingestion Harmful if swallowed

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

50% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity.

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

ATEmix (oral) 94.00 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal) 283.00 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor) 2.83 mg/l

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

Skin corrosion/irritation No information available.
Serious eye damage/eye irritation No information available.
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 Central nervous system, Eyes, Gastrointestinal tract (GI), Respiratory system, Skin.
Aspiration hazard No information available.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity

20 - 50% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

Persistence and degradability No information available.

Bioaccumulation No information available.

Mobility No information available.

Component name	Partition coefficient
Methanol	-0.77

Other adverse effects No information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations.

Waste from residues/unused products Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

Contaminated packaging

Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information**IMDG**

UN/ID no UN1992
Proper Shipping Name FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S.
Hazard Class 3
Subsidiary hazard class 6.1
Packing group III
EmS No. F-E, S-D
Description UN1992, FLAMMABLE LIQUID, TOXIC, N.O.S. (Methanol), 3 (6.1), III, (26°C C.C.)

IATA

UN/ID no UN1992
Proper Shipping Name Flammable liquid, toxic, n.o.s.
Hazard Class 3
Subsidiary hazard class 6.1
Packing group III
ERG Code 3P
Description UN1992, Flammable liquid, toxic, n.o.s. (Methanol), 3 (6.1), III

SECTION 15: Regulatory information**International Inventories**

All of the components in the product are on the following Inventory lists .

Component name	TSCA	EINECS/ELINCS	DSL/NDSL	PICCS
Methanol 67-56-1	Present	X	X	X
EDTA Disodium Salt 6381-92-6	-	-	X	X
Cholic Acid 81-25-4	Present	X	X	-
Glacial Acetic Acid 758-12-3	-	X	-	-

Component name	ENCS	IECSC	AICS	KECL
Methanol 67-56-1	Present	X	X	Present
EDTA Disodium Salt 6381-92-6	-	X	X	-
Cholic Acid 81-25-4	Present	X	X	-

Legend

X - Present

- Not Listed

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

PICCS - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

ENCS - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

IECSC - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

KECL - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances

SECTION 16: Other information

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