

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



## 1. Identification

<b>Product identifier</b>	<b>Witness® Diagnostic Test Kit</b>
<b>Other means of identification</b>	
<b>Synonyms</b>	Witness® Dirofilaria Test Kit * Witness® Giardia Test Kit * Witness® FeLV Feline Leukemia Virus Antigen Test Kit * Witness® FIV Test Kit * Witness® FeLV-FIV Test Kit * Witness® LH (Ovulation Timing Test Kit) * Witness® CPV - Canine Parvovirus Antigen Test Kit / Witness® Parvo Test Kit * Witness® Relaxin (Canine Pregnancy Test Kit) * Witness® Heartworm Test Kit * Witness® BoviD-5 Test Kit * Witness® Lepto * Witness® FFH
<b>Recommended use</b>	Veterinary product used as diagnostic aid
<b>Recommended restrictions</b>	Not for human use
<b>Manufacturer/Importer/Supplier/Distributor information</b>	
<b>Company Name (US)</b>	Zoetis Inc. 10 Sylvan Way Parsippany, New Jersey 07054 (USA)
<b>Rocky Mountain Poison and Drug Center</b>	1-866-531-8896
<b>Product Support/Technical Services</b>	1-800-366-5288
<b>Emergency telephone numbers</b>	CHEMTREC (24 hours): 1-800-424-9300  International CHEMTREC (24 hours): +1-703-527-3887
<b>Company Name (EU)</b>	Zoetis Belgium S.A. Mercuriusstraat 20 1930 Zaventem Belgium
<b>Emergency telephone number</b>	International CHEMTREC (24 hours): +1-703-527-3887
<b>Contact E-Mail</b>	VMIPSrecords@zoetis.com

## 2. Hazard(s) identification

<b>Physical hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>Health hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>Environmental hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>OSHA defined hazards</b>	Not classified.
<b>Label elements</b>	
<b>Hazard symbol</b>	None.
<b>Signal word</b>	None.
<b>Hazard statement</b>	The mixture does not meet the criteria for classification.
<b>Precautionary statement</b>	
<b>Prevention</b>	Observe good industrial hygiene practices.
<b>Response</b>	Wash hands after handling.
<b>Storage</b>	Store away from incompatible materials.
<b>Disposal</b>	Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.
<b>Hazard(s) not otherwise classified (HNOC)</b>	None known.
<b>Supplemental information</b>	Handle as potentially infectious. Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

### Mixtures

Chemical name	Common name and synonyms	CAS number	%
Diluent buffer*		Proprietary*	*
Sodium Azide (diluent preservative)		26628-22-8	<1*

**Composition comments** \*Designates that a specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret. In accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200, the exact percentage composition of this mixture has been withheld as a trade secret.

#### 4. First-aid measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	Move to fresh air. Call a physician if symptoms develop or persist. For breathing difficulties, oxygen may be necessary.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Wash off with soap and water. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Immediately flush with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. If easy to do, remove contact lenses. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Ingestion</b>	If ingestion of a large amount does occur, call a poison control center immediately. Rinse mouth. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.
<b>Most important symptoms/effects, acute and delayed</b>	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Exposure may cause temporary irritation, redness, or discomfort.
<b>Indication of immediate medical attention and special treatment needed</b>	Treat symptomatically.
<b>General information</b>	For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS. Handle as potentially infectious. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, and take precautions to protect themselves.

#### 5. Fire-fighting measures

<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	Water fog. Foam. Dry chemical powder. Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ).
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
<b>Specific hazards arising from the chemical</b>	During fire, gases hazardous to health may be formed.
<b>Special protective equipment and precautions for firefighters</b>	Self-contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing must be worn in case of fire.
<b>Fire fighting equipment/instructions</b>	Move containers from fire area if you can do so without risk.
<b>Specific methods</b>	Use standard firefighting procedures and consider the hazards of other involved materials.
<b>General fire hazards</b>	No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted.

#### 6. Accidental release measures

<b>Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures</b>	Handle as potentially infectious. Keep unnecessary personnel away. For personal protection, see section 8 of the SDS.
<b>Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up</b>	<p>Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of vapors or mists. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Prevent product from entering drains.</p> <p>Large Spills: Stop the flow of material, if this is without risk. Cover with plastic sheet to prevent spreading. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Following product recovery, flush area with water.</p> <p>Small Spills: Wipe up with absorbent material (e.g. cloth, fleece). Clean surface thoroughly to remove residual contamination.</p> <p>Never return spills to original containers for re-use. For waste disposal, see section 13 of the SDS.</p>
<b>Environmental precautions</b>	Avoid discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground.

#### 7. Handling and storage

<b>Precautions for safe handling</b>	Provide adequate ventilation. Wear personal protective equipment. Handle as potentially infectious. Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid breathing mist or vapor. Observe good industrial hygiene practices. Wash thoroughly after handling. When using, do not eat, drink or smoke. Avoid release to the environment. Do not empty into drains.
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**Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**

Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well-ventilated place. @ 20 - 25C / 68 - 77F. Do not freeze. Protect from heat and light. Store away from direct sunlight. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Store away from incompatible materials (see Section 10 of the SDS).

**8. Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Occupational exposure limits**

**US. ACGIH Threshold Limit Values**

Components	Type	Value
Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.29 mg/m3
		0.11 ppm

**US. NIOSH: Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards**

Components	Type	Value
Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8)	Ceiling	0.3 mg/m3
		0.1 ppm

**Biological limit values** No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

**Exposure guidelines**

**US - California OELs: Skin designation**

Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8) Can be absorbed through the skin.

**US - Tennessee OELs: Skin designation**

Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8) Can be absorbed through the skin.

**US NIOSH Pocket Guide to Chemical Hazards: Skin designation**

Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8) Can be absorbed through the skin.

**Control banding approach** Not available.

**Appropriate engineering controls** Good general ventilation (typically 10 air changes per hour) should be used. Ventilation rates should be matched to conditions. If applicable, use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to maintain airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. If exposure limits have not been established, maintain airborne levels to an acceptable level. General ventilation normally adequate.

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

**Eye/face protection** Wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

**Skin protection**

**Hand protection** Wear appropriate chemical resistant gloves.

**Other** Wear suitable protective clothing. Use protective clothing (uniforms, lab coats, disposable coveralls, etc.) in both production and laboratory areas.

**Respiratory protection** No personal respiratory protective equipment normally required. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. If engineering controls do not maintain airborne concentrations below recommended exposure limits (where applicable) or to an acceptable level (in countries where exposure limits have not been established), an approved respirator must be worn.

**Thermal hazards** Not applicable.

**General hygiene considerations** Always observe good personal hygiene measures, such as washing after handling the material and before eating, drinking, and/or smoking. Routinely wash work clothing and protective equipment to remove contaminants.

**9. Physical and chemical properties**

**Appearance**

**Physical state** Liquid.

**Form** Liquid.

**Color** Not available.

**Odor** Not available.

**Odor threshold** Not available.

**pH** Not available.

**Melting point/freezing point** Not available.

<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	Not available.
<b>Flash point</b>	Not available.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	
<b>Flammability limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Flammability limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - lower (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Explosive limit - upper (%)</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	Not available.
<b>Vapor density</b>	Not available.
<b>Relative density</b>	Not available.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	
<b>Solubility (water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water)</b>	Not available.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	Not available.
<b>Other information</b>	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	Not explosive.
<b>Oxidizing properties</b>	Not oxidizing.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	The product is stable and non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Material is stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	Contact with incompatible materials.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	Strong oxidizing agents.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No hazardous decomposition products are known.

## 11. Toxicological information

### Information on likely routes of exposure

<b>Inhalation</b>	Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Expected to be a low ingestion hazard.

**Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics** Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation. Exposure may cause temporary irritation, redness, or discomfort.

### Information on toxicological effects

#### Acute toxicity

Product	Species	Test Results
Witness® Diagnostic Test Kit		
<u>Acute</u>		
<b>Dermal</b>		> 5000 mg/kg (Calculated ATE)

Product	Species	Test Results
<b>Oral</b>		> 5000 mg/kg (Calculated ATE)
Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8)		
<b>Acute</b>		
<b>Dermal</b>		
LD50	Rabbit	20 mg/kg
<b>Oral</b>		
LD50	Rat	27 mg/kg
<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Prolonged skin contact may cause temporary irritation.	
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Direct contact with eyes may cause temporary irritation.	
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitization</b>		
<b>Respiratory sensitization</b>	Not a respiratory sensitizer.	
<b>Skin sensitization</b>	This product is not expected to cause skin sensitization.	
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No data available to indicate product or any components present at greater than 0.1% are mutagenic or genotoxic.	
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	This product is not considered to be a carcinogen by IARC, ACGIH, NTP, or OSHA.	
<b>IARC Monographs. Overall Evaluation of Carcinogenicity</b>		
Not listed.		
<b>OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)</b>		
Not regulated.		
<b>US. National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens</b>		
Not listed.		
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	This product is not expected to cause reproductive or developmental effects.	
<b>Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure</b>	Not classified.	
<b>Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure</b>	Not classified.	
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Not an aspiration hazard.	
<b>Chronic effects</b>	None known. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.	

## 12. Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product is not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, this does not exclude the possibility that large or frequent spills can have a harmful or damaging effect on the environment. Avoid release to the environment.

Components	Species	Test Results
Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8)		
	LC50	Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill Sunfish) 0.7 mg/L
		Oncorhynchus mykiss (Rainbow Trout) 0.8 mg/L
		Pimephales promelas (Fathead Minnow) 5.46 mg/L
<b>Aquatic</b>		
Crustacea	EC50	Water flea (Daphnia pulex) 2.8 - 6.2 mg/l, 48 hours
Fish	LC50	Bluegill (Lepomis macrochirus) 0.68 mg/l, 96 hours
<b>Persistence and degradability</b>	No data is available on the degradability of this product.	
<b>Bioaccumulative potential</b>	No data available.	
<b>Mobility in soil</b>	No data available.	
<b>Other adverse effects</b>	No other adverse environmental effects (e.g. ozone depletion, photochemical ozone creation potential, endocrine disruption, global warming potential) are expected from this component.	

### 13. Disposal considerations

**Disposal instructions** Handle as potentially infectious. Avoid release to the environment. Do not allow this material to drain into sewers/water supplies. Do not discharge into drains, water courses or onto the ground. Do not contaminate ponds, waterways or ditches with chemical or used container. Do not dispose of waste into sewer. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/international regulations.

**Local disposal regulations** Dispose in accordance with all applicable regulations.

**Hazardous waste code** The waste code should be assigned in discussion between the user, the producer and the waste disposal company.

#### US RCRA Hazardous Waste P List: Reference

Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8) P105

**Waste from residues / unused products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe manner (see: Disposal instructions).

**Contaminated packaging** Since emptied containers may retain product residue, follow label warnings even after container is emptied.

### 14. Transport information

#### DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

#### IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

#### IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code** Not established.

### 15. Regulatory information

**US federal regulations** This product is not known to be a "Hazardous Chemical" as defined by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

#### TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

#### CERCLA Hazardous Substance List (40 CFR 302.4)

Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8) Listed.

#### SARA 304 Emergency release notification

Sodium Azide (diluent preservative) (CAS 26628-22-8) 1000 LBS

#### OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not regulated.

#### Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

**Hazard categories** Immediate Hazard - No  
Delayed Hazard - No  
Fire Hazard - No  
Pressure Hazard - No  
Reactivity Hazard - No

#### SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Chemical name	CAS number	Reportable quantity (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity, lower value (pounds)	Threshold planning quantity, upper value (pounds)
Sodium Azide (diluent preservative)	26628-22-8	1000	500		

**SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical** No

**SARA 313 (TRI reporting)** Not regulated.

## Other federal regulations

### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112 Hazardous Air Pollutants (HAPs) List

Not regulated.

### Clean Air Act (CAA) Section 112(r) Accidental Release Prevention (40 CFR 68.130)

Not regulated.

**Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA)** Not regulated.

## International Inventories

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Australia	Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS)	No
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	No
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
China	Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances in China (IECSC)	No
Europe	European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances (EINECS)	No
Europe	European List of Notified Chemical Substances (ELINCS)	No
Japan	Inventory of Existing and New Chemical Substances (ENCS)	No
Korea	Existing Chemicals List (ECL)	No
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	No
Philippines	Philippine Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances (PICCS)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	No

\*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

## 16. Other information, including date of preparation or last revision

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**List of abbreviations** ATE: Acute Toxicity Estimate according to REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP).

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**Revision information** Product and Company Identification: Synonyms  
Composition / Information on Ingredients: Ingredients  
Toxicological Information: Toxicological Data  
GHS: Classification