

**Safety Data Sheet**  
**10X Citrate Buffer for Epitope Recovery (pH 6, 7, 8) (EU)**



**Diagnostic  
BioSystems**

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

**1.1 Product identifier**

Product name	10X Citrate Buffer for Epitope Recovery (pH 6, 7, 8) (EU)
Product number	K035, K035-500AN, K036, K037
Brand	10X Citrate Buffer for Epitope Recovery (pH 6, 7, 8)

**1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

For In Vitro Diagnostic use.  
Immunohistochemistry  
In Situ Hybridization

**1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Name	Diagnostic Biosystems
Address	6616 Owens Drive Pleasanton CA 94588 USA
Telephone	(888) 896-3350
email	customersupport@dbiosys.com

**1.4 Emergency telephone number**

(925) 484-3350 (Mon - Fri- 9AM-4PM, Pacific Standard Time)

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**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

**General hazard statement**  
For professional users only

**2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

**Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 (CLP)**

- Acute toxicity, dermal (chapter 3.1), Cat. 5, H313
- Acute toxicity, inhalation (chapter 3.1), Cat. 5, H333
- Acute toxicity, oral (chapter 3.1), Cat. 5, H303
- Acute toxicity, dermal (chapter 3.1), Cat. 1, H310
- Acute toxicity, inhalation (chapter 3.1), Cat. 2, H330

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- Acute toxicity, oral (chapter 3.1), Cat. 2, H300
- Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) (chapter 4.1), Cat. 1, H400
- Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) (chapter 4.1), Cat. 1, H410
- Serious eye damage/eye irritation (chapter 3.3), Cat. 2
- Specific target organ toxicity following repeated exposure (chapter 3.9), Cat. 2, H373

For the full text corresponding to the "H"-codes displayed in this section, refer to Section 16.

### 2.2 Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]

##### Hazard pictograms



1. Skull and crossbones; 2. Exclamation mark; 3. Health hazard; 4. Environment

##### Signal word

##### Warning

##### Hazard statements

H300  
H310  
H319  
H330  
H373  
H400  
H410

Fatal if swallowed  
Fatal in contact with skin  
Causes serious eye irritation  
Fatal if inhaled  
May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure  
Very toxic to aquatic life  
Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

##### Precautionary statements

P260  
P262  
P264  
P270  
P271  
P273  
P280  
P284  
P301+P310  
P302+P352  
P304+P340  
P305+P351+P338  
  
P310  
P314  
P330  
P337+P313  
P361+P364  
P391  
P403+P233  
P405  
P501

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray.  
Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.  
Wash hands thoroughly after handling.  
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.  
Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.  
Avoid release to the environment.  
Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.  
[In case of inadequate ventilation] wear respiratory protection.  
IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.  
IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.  
IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep 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/doctor.  
Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.  
Rinse mouth.  
If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.  
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.  
Collect spillage.  
Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.  
Store locked up.  
Dispose of contents/container to a licensed disposal company.

### 2.3 Other hazards

No data available.

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### Statement regarding ingredients of unknown toxicity

No data available.

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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.2 Mixtures

#### Hazardous components

##### 1. SODIUM AZIDE

Concentration 0.01 - 0.1 % (weight)

Other names / synonyms Sodium azide (Na(N3))

EC no. 247-852-1

CAS no. 26628-22-8

Index no. 011-004-00-7

- Acute toxicity, dermal (chapter 3.1), Cat. 1
- Acute toxicity, inhalation (chapter 3.1), Cat. 2
- Acute toxicity, oral (chapter 3.1), Cat. 2
- Specific target organ toxicity, repeated exposure (chapter 3.9), Cat. 2
- Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute) (chapter 4.1), Cat. 1
- Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic) (chapter 4.1), Cat. 1

##### 2. Citric acid

Concentration 0.1 - 1 % (weight)

Other names / synonyms 1,2,3-Propanetricarboxylic acid, 2-hydroxy-; 1,2,3-Propanetricarboxylic acid, 2-hydroxy-, monohydrate; 2-Hydroxy-1,2,3-propanetricarboxylic acid; Acidum citricum; ACILETTEN; ANHYDROUS CITRIC ACID; BETA-HYDROXYTRICARBALLYLIC ACID; CITRETTEN; CITRICACID; CITRO; HYDROCEROL A

EC no. 201-069-1

CAS no. 77-92-9

- Eye damage/irritation (chapter 3.3), Cat. 2

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## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

General notes In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label or SDS where possible).

Following inhalation Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell.

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Acute and delayed symptoms and effects: May cause respiratory irritation. Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

Following skin contact

Wash with plenty of soap and water for at least 15 minutes. Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell.

Acute and delayed symptoms and effects: May cause skin irritation. Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, and itching.

Following eye contact

Rinse cautiously with water for at least 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately call a poison center or doctor.

Acute and delayed symptoms and effects: May cause eye irritation. Signs/symptoms may include redness, swelling, pain, tearing, and blurred or hazy vision.

Following ingestion

Call a poison center or doctor if you feel unwell. If vomiting occurs naturally, have victim lean forward to reduce the risk of aspiration. Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

Acute and delayed symptoms and effects: May cause gastrointestinal irritation. Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, stomach upset, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

Self-protection of the first aider

General industrial hygiene practice.

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

The most important known symptoms and effects are described in the labelling (see section 2) and/or in section 11

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

No data available

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## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Carbon oxides

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SODIUM AZIDE: Sodium oxides

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

#### Further information

Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

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Do not touch damaged containers or spilled material unless wearing appropriate protective clothing. Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

As an immediate precautionary measure, isolate spill or leak area in all directions. Keep unauthorized personnel away. Stay upwind. Keep out of low areas. Ventilate enclosed areas.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains unless in accordance with Federal, State and local laws and regulations.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

For disposal see section 13.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. For precautions see section 2.

#### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Containers which are opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage.

#### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

Apart from the uses mentioned in section 1 no other specific uses are stipulated.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

#### 8.1 Control parameters

##### CAS: 26628-22-8 (EC: 247-852-1)

Sodium azide

ACGIH: 0.29 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (C); 0.1 ppm (C) hydrazoic acid vapor TLV® inhalation; NIOSH: 0.29 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (C); 0.1 ppm (C) hydrazoic acid vapor REL-C inhalation

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

##### Appropriate engineering controls

Use ventilation adequate to keep exposures (airborne levels of dust, fume, vapor, gas, etc.) below recommended exposure limits.

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

##### Pictograms



##### Eye and face protection

Safety glasses if there is a splash hazard. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

##### Skin protection

Protective gloves. Consult manufacturer specifications for further information.

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### Body protection

Wear protective clothing. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

### Respiratory protection

Not required under normal use conditions. Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multipurpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

### Thermal hazards

No data available.

### Control banding approach

No data available.

### Environmental exposure controls

Do not let product enter drains.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	Liquid
Appearance	Transparent
Colour	Clear
Odour	None
Odour threshold	No data available.
pH	6.0 - 8.0
Melting point/freezing point	No data available.
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range	No data available.
Flash point	No data available.
Evaporation rate	No data available.
Flammability	No data available.
Lower and upper explosion limit/flammability limit	No data available.
Vapor pressure	No data available.
Relative vapor density	No data available.
Density and/or relative density	No data available.
Solubility	No data available.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)	No data available.
Auto-ignition temperature	No data available.
Decomposition temperature	No data available.
Kinematic viscosity	No data available.
Explosive properties	No data available.
Oxidizing properties	No data available.

### Particle characteristics

No data available.

### 9.2 Other information

#### 9.2.1 Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No data available.

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### 9.2.2 Other safety characteristics

No data available.

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## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available.

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Contact with incompatible materials. Sources of ignition. Exposure to heat.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Citric acid: Oxidizing agents, Bases, Reducing agents, Nitrates

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

Other decomposition products - No data available

In the event of fire: see section 5

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## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### 11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

#### Acute toxicity

Likely Routes of Exposure: Eye contact. Skin contact. Inhalation. Ingestion.

Symptoms (including delayed and immediate effects):

Inhalation: May cause respiratory irritation. Signs/symptoms may include cough, sneezing, nasal discharge, headache, hoarseness, and nose and throat pain.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation. Signs/symptoms may include abdominal pain, stomach upset, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

EDTA

LD50 Oral - Rat - male and female - 4,500 mg/kg

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- *Lepomis macrochirus* (bluegill) - 80 µg/l - 28 d

Result: Bioconcentration factor (BCF): 1.8

EDTA

Result: IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

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ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

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No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

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EDTA

static test LC50 - Lepomis macrochirus (bluegill) - 41 mg/l - 96 h

EDTA

static test EC50 - Daphnia magna (water flea) - 625 mg/l - 48 h

EDTA

Result: PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monolaurate

LD50 Oral - Rat - 40,554.0 mg/kg

Polyoxyethylene sorbitan monolaurate

LC50 - Other fish - 350 mg/l - 24 h

The ATE (dermal) of the mixture is: 5000 mg/kg bw

The ATE (gas inhalation) of the mixture is: 100000 ppmV

The ATE (oral) of the mixture is: 5000 mg/kg bw

### **Skin corrosion/irritation**

May cause skin irritation. Signs/symptoms may include localized redness, swelling, and itching.

### **Serious eye damage/irritation**

May cause eye irritation. Signs/symptoms may include redness, swelling, pain, tearing, and blurred or hazy vision.

### **Respiratory or skin sensitization**

No data available.

### **Germ cell mutagenicity**

No data available.

### **Carcinogenicity**

IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

### **Reproductive toxicity**

No data available.

### **Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties**



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No data available.

### STOT-single exposure

No data available.

### STOT-repeated exposure

No data available.

### Aspiration hazard

No data available.

## 11.2 Information on other hazards

### Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

No data available.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

No data available.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available on product

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available.

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT/vPvB assessment not available as chemical safety assessment not required/not conducted

### 12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available.

### 12.7 Other adverse effects

No data available.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product disposal

Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations. Non Household Setting:

Products covered by this SDS, in their original form, when disposed as waste, are considered non hazardous waste.

#### Packaging disposal

Dispose of as unused product.

#### Waste treatment

No data available.

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### Sewage disposal

Sewage disposal is not recommended

### Other disposal recommendations

Offer surplus and non-recyclable solutions to a licensed disposal company.

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## SECTION 14: Transport information

14.1	UN Number	None
14.2	UN Proper Shipping Name	None
14.3	Transport hazard class(es)	None
14.4	Packing group	None
14.5	Environmental hazards	None
14.6	Special precautions for user	None
14.7	Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	None

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

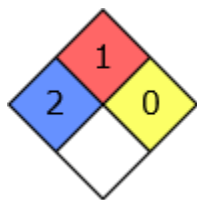
### 15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

The manufacturer has not performed any additional chemical safety assessments

#### HMIS Rating

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<b>HEALTH</b>	<b>* 2</b>
<b>FLAMMABILITY</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>PHYSICAL HAZARD</b>	
<b>PERSONAL PROTECTION</b>	

#### NFPA Rating



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## SECTION 16: Other information

### Full text of hazard statements referenced in Section 2

H300	Fatal if swallowed
H303	May be harmful if swallowed
H310	Fatal in contact with skin
H313	May be harmful in contact with skin
H330	Fatal if inhaled
H333	May be harmful if inhaled
H373	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life
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#### **Further information/disclaimer**

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