

# Safety Data Sheet

#### 1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name**: APEX Hydrogen Peroxide Biological Indicators (stainless steel)

Product Type or Synonym: Sterilization Monitors / Biological Indicator

**Product Description**: Non-pathogenic bacterial spores for research and laboratory use. Not for use on humans.

Carrier material for spores is 18/8 stainless steel (grade 304). Outside packaging is Tyvek.

Note: Device contains no hazardous ingredients or pathogenic microorganisms.

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### 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

N/A

## 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**Growth Medium Composition**: N/A

Biological Information: Bacterial spores obtained from traceable source. Naturally occurring. Non-pathogenic.

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Skin Contact: N/A

**Eye Contact**: Minor irritant

**Inhalation**: Not a likely route of exposure.

**Ingestion**: Not a likely route of exposure.

NOTE: There are no known health hazards from exposure to the microorganisms contained in this product.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

N/A

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Clean and disinfect area of use.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Shipping conditions: Ambient temperatures; less than 50% RH.

Storage conditions: 2-8°C; less than 50% RH.



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#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure Limits:** N/A

Specific Engineering Controls: N/A

Personal Protective Equipment: Appropriate gloves and safety glasses should be worn when removing this

product from the sterilizer. Wash hands after use.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Odor and Appearance: Odorless; Stainless steel disc

**Specific Gravity**: N/A **Evaporation Rate**: N/A

pH: N/A

Vapor Density: N/A Boiling Point: N/A

Coefficient of Water/Oil Distribution: N/A

Odor Threshold: N/A Vapor Pressure: N/A Freezing Point: N/A Solubility in Water: N/A

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemically Stable: Yes Incompatibility: N/A Reactivity: N/A

**Hazardous Decomposition Products**: N/A

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Affects of Acute Exposure: N/A Affects of Chronic Exposure: N/A

Irritancy of Product: N/A Skin Sensitization: N/A Respiratory Sensitization:

**Respiratory Sensitization**: N/A

Carcinogenicity: N/A

Reproductive Toxicity: N/A

Teratogenicity: N/A Embryotoxicity: N/A Mutagenicity: N/A Synergistic Products: N/A

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

This product contains no known ecological hazards. The microorganisms it contains are non-pathogenic and found in nature.

#### 13. DISPOSAL

Autoclave at 121°C for 30 minutes prior to disposal or incinerate.



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# 14. TRANSPORT

No special shipping precautions.

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

N/A

# 16. OTHER INFORMATION

See instructions for use delivered in each box of product.

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