

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

ABX Pentra Total Protein CP - A91A00589

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## 1. Product and company identification

### 1.1 Identification of the product:

**Product name:** ABX Pentra Total Protein CP

**Product code:** Ref. ABX ==> A11A01669

**1.2 Company identification:** ABX Diagnostics - Rue du Caducée - Parc Euromédecine - 34184  
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**1.3 Emergency phone number:** Contact the nearest first-aid station.

## 2. Composition/information on ingredients

**Description of the kit:** REAGENT = 1 × 60 ml (mono-reagent cassette).

<b>Chemical nature:</b>	Potassium iodide	6 mmol/l
	Potassium sodium tartrate	21 mmol/l
	Copper sulfate	6 mmol/l
	Sodium hydroxide	58 mmol/l

**Hazardous ingredients:**  
(name, concentration)

**Dangerous preparation according to 67/548/EEC - 88/379/EEC:** According to Directives 67/548/EEC, 88/379/EEC and decree of 20<sup>th</sup> April 1994 for dangerous products classification, this reagent contains no dangerous substances in reportable quantities.

## 3. Hazards identification

**Most important hazards:** This reagent is particularly stable and no toxic in normal conditions of use.

**Specific risks:**

**For man:** effect of acute exposure:  
Eyes, skin contact: May cause irritation.  
Inhalation: May cause irritation, may be harmful.  
Ingestion: May be harmful.

**For environment:**  
None hazard determined.

## 4. First-aid measures

<b>Inhalation:</b>	Provide fresh air. If breathing is difficult, obtain medical attention.
<b>Skin contact:</b>	Flush area with plenty of water.
<b>Eye contact:</b>	Flush eyes with water for at least 15 minutes and seek medical advise.
<b>Ingestion:</b>	Seek medical advice immediately.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

**Extinguishing media:** Water spray or foam.

**Specific risks:**

**Special protective equipment:**

**Additional recommendations:** Thermal decomposition: Dangerous decomposition products and gases which are damaging to health, in large quantities are not anticipated.

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## 6. Accidental release measures

**Personal precautions:** Avoid eyes, skin or clothes contacts. Rinse well with water, provide fresh air.  
**Environmental precautions:**  
**Methods for cleaning / absorption:** After spillage: soak up and remove with absorbent substances.  
Absorbent material: no restriction.  
Disposal measure: collect waste in closed disposal containers and dispose according to national or local regulations.

## 7. Handling and storage

### 7.1 Handling:

**Technical measures:**

**Precautions:**

**Handling recommendations:** Avoid eyes, skin contacts. Have a wash after handling.

### 7.2 Storage:

**Technical measures:**

**Storage conditions:** Store protected from light and tightly closed at +2°C - +8°C.

**Incompatible materials:**

**Packaging materials:**

## 8. Exposure controls/personal protection

**Specific control parameters:**

**Technical measures:**

**Respiratory protection:** Yes, have good local ventilation, wear mask or appropriate respirator.

**Hand protection:** Yes, wear gloves, wash hands after handling.

**Eye protection:** Yes.

**Skin protection:**

**Hygiene measures:**

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

<b>Physical state:</b>	Liquid; limpid	<b>Auto-flammability:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Colour:</b>	Blue	<b>Explosive properties:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Odour:</b>	Not applicable.	<b>Oxidizing properties:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>pH:</b>	Not applicable.	<b>Vapour pressure:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Boiling point:</b>	Not applicable.	<b>Relative density:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Melting point:</b>	Not applicable.	<b>Solubility:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Flashing point:</b>	Not applicable.	<b>Partition coefficient:</b>	Not applicable.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas):</b>	Not applicable.	<b>Other data:</b>	None relevant for the safety.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

**Conditions to avoid:** The product is stable if store at 2-8°C, avoid exposure to heat.

**Materials to avoid:**

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Not known.

**Other data:** Stability: It is stable until the expiry date stated on the label.  
Hazardous reactions: Not known when used appropriately.

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## 11. Toxicological information

**Acute toxicity:**

**Chronic toxicity:**

**Inhalation:**

**Skin contact:**

**Eye contact:**

**Ingestion:**

**Other data:**

Toxicological data for this reagent is not available.

## 12. Ecological information

**Mobility:**

**Degradability:**

**Bioaccumulative potential:**

**Ecotoxicity:**

No ecological problems are expected when the reagent is handled and used with due care and attention.

**Other hazardous effects:**

Ecological data for this product are not available.

Disposal procedure have to be respected (see § 13).

## 13. Disposal considerations

**Surplus or waste (residues):**

Wastes evacuation procedure: this must be disposed of in compliance with antipollution and other laws of the country concerned.

**Contaminated packaging:**

Type of primary container: the reagent is packaging in plastic cassette ( composed of polyethylene high density ).

## 14. Transport information (International regulations)

**By land:**

N/A.

**By river:**

N/A.

**By air:**

N/A.

**By sea:**

N/A.

**General information:**

International regulation: No restriction.

## 15. Regulatory information

**Labelling according to EEC directives:**

**Symbols:**

N/A.

**R phrases:**

N/A.

**S phrases:**

N/A.

**Substances:**

N/A.

**Other regulatory requirements:**

According to European classification (67/548/EEC, 88/379/EEC and decree of 20<sup>th</sup> April 1994): no special labelling, risk sentences and security sentences.

## 16. Other information

This product is intended for IN VITRO diagnostic use only.

NOT FOR USE IN HUMANS.

The information herein is based on the current extent of our knowledge and is believed to be correct but is provided without warranty of any kind. The recipient of our reagent is responsible for observing all applicable laws and regulations.