

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

ABX RETIX 1L & 0.5L - A91A00224 - 24/09/03

1. Product and company identification

1.1 Identification of the product:

Product name: ABX RETIX 1L & 0.5L

Product code: Ref. ABX ==> **09 04 005** (0.5L), **09 04 010** (1L)

1.2 Company identification:

ABX Diagnostics - rue du Caducée - Parc Euromédecine –

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1.3 Emergency phone number: Contact the nearest first-aid station

2. Composition/information on ingredients

Chemical nature:

Hazardous ingredients:

(name, concentration)

Buffer < 1 %

Preservative < 0.05 %

Thiazole Orange < 0.01 %

Dangerous preparation according to

67/548/EEC – 99/45/EEC (Yes/No) :

No, concentration is lower than the directives threshold.

3. Hazards identification

Most important hazards:

Specific risks:

Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC.

Irritates the respiratory tract in case of prolonged exposure to the product.

Irritates the skin in case of prolonged handling.

Irritates the eyes in case of prolonged handling.

4. First-aid measures

Inhalation:

Skin contact:

Eye contact:

Ingestion:

Rinse abundantly with water.

Rinse abundantly with water whilst holding the eyelids open.

Rinse the mouth out with water and induce vomiting if victim is conscious.

Call doctor in case of fainting.

5. Fire-fighting measures

Extinguishing media:

Specific risks:

Special protective equipment:

Additional recommendations:

The product is non-flammable.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:

Environmental precautions:

Methods for cleaning / absorption:

Soak up the product and put in the waste.

Wash the affected area with water.

7. Handling and storage

7.1 Handling:

Technical measures:

Precautions:

Handling recommendations:

7.2 Storage:

Technical measures:

Storage conditions:

Incompatible materials:

Packaging materials:

Wear gloves in case of prolonged handling.

Store at 18 to 25°C and away from the light.

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8. Exposure controls/personal protection

Specific control parameters:

Technical measures:

Laboratory gloves, protective goggles in case of prolonged handling.

Respiratory protection:

Hand protection:

Eye protection:

Skin protection:

Hygiene measures:

9. Physical and chemical properties

Physical state:

Liquid

Auto-flammability:

Colour:

Yellowish/

Explosive properties:

Photosensitive

Odour:

Odourless

Oxidizing properties:

pH :

7.3 ± 0.2

Vapour pressure:

Boiling point:

Relative density:

Melting point:

Solubility:

Aqueous solution miscible with water.

Flashing point:

Partition coefficient:

Flammability (solid, gas) :

Non-flammable

Other data:

10. Stability and reactivity

Conditions to avoid:

Expiry date.

Materials to avoid:

Hazardous decomposition products:

Not classified.

Other data:

11. Toxicological information

Acute toxicity:

Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC

Chronic toxicity:

(sensitization, carcinogenicity, mutagenicity, teratogenicity, etc)

Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC

Inhalation:

Skin contact:

Eye contact:

Ingestion:

Other data:

12. Ecological information

Mobility:

Not classified

Degradability:

Bioaccumulative potential:

Ecotoxicity:

Other hazardous effects:

13. Disposal considerations

Surplus or waste (residues):

Incineration.

Contaminated packaging:

Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC

14. Transport information (International regulations)

By land:

Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC

By river:

Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC

By air:

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By sea:

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General information:

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15. Regulatory information Not classified according to directive 99/45/EEC

Labelling according to EEC directives

Symbols:

R phrases:

S phrases:

Substances:

Other regulatory requirements: In no way does this information exempt the user from knowing about or applying all the national or international regulations relating to his/her activity.

16. Other information

This sheet is a complement to instructions for use but does not replace them. Information contained herewith is based on our current knowledge of the product, at the date shown, and is correct to the best of our knowledge.

Furthermore, the user's attention is drawn to the dangers of using this product for anything other than its intended use.

The user must accept the sole responsibility and take precautions accordingly for the use of this product.