

Safety Data Sheet

1. IDENTIFICATION

**Product Name:** 

# **Spore Strip**

Product Type or Synonym: Biological Indicator

**Product Description**: Paper strip carrier inoculated with bacterial spores and enclosed in food-grade glassine paper.

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: N/A

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

Store at 15-27°C, 30-70% RH. Avoid direct sunlight and all other forms of UV light.



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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.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Odor and Appearance: paper carrier 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: 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.

#### 14. TRANSPORT



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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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