

# Material Safety Data Sheet

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## Section 1: Chemical Product and Company Identification

Cat#: 24625

Part Name: VIACHECK VIABILITY INSTRUMENT STD.90% VIABILITY

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## Section 2: Composition/ Information on Ingredients

Item#	Name	CAS#	% in product
1	Benzene, ethenyl-, homopolymer	009003536	0.1
2	Poly(methyl methacrylate)	009011147	0.1
3	Sodium azide	026628228	0.001
4	Water	007732185	98

## OSHA (ACGIH) Exposure Limits

CAS#	IDLH	TWA		STEL		CEILING	
		ppm	mg/m3	ppm	mg/m3	ppm	mg/m3
007732185	NE						
OS		NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
ACGIH		NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
009003536	NE						
OS		NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
ACGIH		NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
009011147	NE						
OS		NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
ACGIH		NE	NE	NE	NE	NE	NE
026628228	--						
OS		NIOSH	--	--	--	--	--
ACGIH		--	--	--	--	0.11c	0.29d

## Section 3: Hazards Identification

Low hazard for usual industrial or commercial handling.

Hazard Ratings:

These ratings are Polysciences' Inc. own assesments of the properties of the material using the ANSI/NFPA 704 Standard. Additional information can be found by consulting in the NFPA published ratings lists (List 325 and List 49).

If no data is listed the information is not available.

Health	Flammability	Reactivity
0	0	0

## Section 4: First Aid Measures

Flush eyes with flowing water for at least 15 minutes.

If breathing is difficult, contact emergency personnel.

Remove contaminated clothing.

Remove to fresh air.

Separate eyelids with finger tips.

Wash skin with deluge of water for at least 15 minutes.

## Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Flash point, deg F.: no data

Method: no data

UEL: no data LEL: no data

Autoignition temperature, deg. F.: no data

Flammability Classification: no data

Flame Propagation Rate: no data

Hazardous Combustion Products: no data

## Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Any information listed below is to be considered in addition to internal guidelines for isolation of spill, containment of spill, removal of ignition sources from immediate area, and collection for disposal of spill by trained, properly protected clean up personnel.

No special measures are indicated.

**Section 7: Handling and Storage**

Store at 4 deg. C.

**Section 8: Exposure Controls/ Personal Protection**

The use of eye protection in the form of safety glasses with side shields and the use of skin protection for hands in the form of gloves are considered minimum and non-discretionary in work places and laboratories. Any recommended personal protection equipment or environmental equipment is to be considered as additional to safety glasses and gloves.

No special protection is indicated.

**Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Formula:	mixture	vapor pressure:	no data
Formula Weight:	0	vapor density:	no data
boiling point:	100 C	Specific gravity:	0
melting point:	0 C	ph:	no data
solubility:	dilutable	appearance:	white opaque liquid

**Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

Chemical Stabilit stable  
 Conditions to Avoid: no data  
 Incompatibility with other materials: no data  
 Hazardous Decomposition Products: no data  
 Hazardous Polymerization: will not occur

**Section 11: Toxicological Information**

Acute Data: no data  
Subchronic data: no data

**Section 12: Ecological Information**

no data

**Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

The following chart lists the status of the chemical and its components in reference to 40 CFR Part 261.33. If the product is listed by code number the substance may be subject to special federal and state disposal regulations. If no codes are listed the material must be disposed in compliance with all Federal, State and Local Regulations.

CAS#	Waste Code	Regulated Name
007732185	not listed	not listed
009003536	not listed	not listed
009011147	not listed	not listed
026628228	P105	Sodium azide

**Section 14: Transportation Data**

Refer to bill of lading or container label for DOT or other transportation hazard classification , if any.

**Section 15: Regulatory Information**

All components of this product are on the TSCA public inventory.

Prop 65 - Column A identifies those items which are known to the State of California to cause cancer. Column B identified items which are known to the State of California to cause reproductive toxicity.

CAS#	Column A	Column B
007732185	no	no
009003536	no	no
009011147	no	no
026628228	no	no

State Regulatory Information :If a CAS# is listed below this material is subject to the listed state right-to-know requirements.

CAS#	FL	MA	MN	NJ	PA	WA
007732185	not listed					
009003536	not listed					
009011147	not listed					
026628228						

SARA Toxic Release Chemicals(as defined in Section 313 of SARA Title III)

This list identifies the toxic chemicals, including their de minimis concentrations for which reporting is required under Section 313 of the Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act (EPCRA). The list is also referred to as the Toxics Release Inventory (TRI) List.

CAS#	Regulated name	de minimis conc. %	Rep. Thres.
007732185	not listed	not listed	not listed
009003536	not listed	not listed	not listed
009011147	not listed	not listed	not listed
026628228	Sodium azide	1.0	not listed

SARA Extremely Hazardous Substances and TPQs

This list includes hazardous chemicals as defined in 29 CFR 1910.1200(c); and extremely hazardous substances regulated under Section 302 of SARA Title III with their TPQs (in pounds), as listed in 40 CFR 355, Appendices A and B.

CAS#	Regulated name	TPQ (pounds)	EHS-RQ(pounds)
007732185	not listed	not listed	not listed
009003536	not listed	not listed	not listed
009011147	not listed	not listed	not listed
026628228	Sodium azide (Na(N3))	500	1,000

CERCLA

The hazardous substances, and their reportable quantities (RQs) are listed in the federal regulations at 40 CFR Part 302, Table 302.4. Release of a CERCLA hazardous substance in an amount equal to or greater than its RQ, in any 24-hour period, must be reported to the National Response Center at (800) 424-8802.

CAS#	Regulated name	RQ (pounds)
007732185	Not listed	Not listed
009003536	Not listed	Not listed
009011147	Not listed	Not listed
026628228	Not listed	Not listed

**Section 16: Other Information**

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