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## 1. Product and Company Identification

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		<b>In Case of Emergency</b>	Call Chemtrec® (800)424-9300 (within U.S.A.) (703)527-3887 (outside U.S.A.)

**Product name** BL21(DE3) Singles™ Competent Cells

## 2. Composition and Information on Ingredients

Ingredient Name	CAS No.	Product No.	EU Symbol	R-Phrases
Calcium Chloride	10043-52-4	RC0030	Xi	R36

**Note:** See section 8 for occupational exposure limits and section 11 for LC50/LD50 information.

## 3. Hazards Identification

<b>Primary Hazards and Critical Effects</b>	: RC0030	CAUTION! BE HARMFUL IF SWALLOWED. MAY CAUSE EYE IRRITATION. Avoid contact with eyes. Do not ingest. Wash thoroughly after handling.	MAY
<b>Physical/Chemical hazards</b>	:	Not applicable.	
<b>Human Health Hazards</b>	: RC0030	Irritating to eyes.	
<b>Environmental Hazards</b>	:	Not applicable.	

## 4. First Aid Measures

<b>Inhalation</b>	: RC0030	If inhaled, remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get medical attention.
<b>Ingestion</b>	: RC0030	Do NOT induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If large quantities of this material are swallowed, call a physician immediately.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	: RC0030	In case of contact, immediately flush skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse. Thoroughly clean shoes before reuse. Get medical attention.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	: RC0030	In case of contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get medical attention.
<b>Notes to Medical Doctor</b>	:	Not available.

## 5. Fire-Fighting Measures

<b>Extinguishing Media</b>	:	Use foam or all purpose dry chemicals to extinguish.
<b>Fire-Fighting Procedures</b>	:	Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and full turnout gear.
<b>Fire/Explosion Hazards</b>	:	Not applicable.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	:	Not available.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

<b>Personal Precautions</b>	:	Immediately contact emergency personnel. Keep unnecessary personnel away. Use suitable protective equipment (Section 8). Follow all fire fighting procedures (Section 5).
<b>Environmental Precautions and Clean-up Methods</b>	:	If emergency personnel are unavailable vacuum or carefully scoop up spilled materials and place in an appropriate container for disposal. Avoid creating dusty conditions and prevent wind dispersal. Minimize contact of spilled material with soils to prevent runoff to surface waterways.

**Note:** See section 1 for emergency contact information and section 13 for waste disposal.

## 7. Handling and Storage

<b>Handling</b>	:	RC0030	Avoid contact with eyes. Do not ingest. Wash thoroughly after handling.
<b>Storage</b>	:		Keep container tightly closed. Keep container in a cool, well-ventilated area.
<b>Packaging Materials</b>	:		Use original container.

## 8. Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

### Occupational Exposure Limits

<u>Ingredient Name</u>	<u>Occupational Exposure Limits</u>
RC0030	Not available.

<b>Engineering Controls</b>	:	RC0030	No special containment is required. Local exhaust ventilation should be provided.
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### Personal Protective Equipment

<b>Respiratory System</b>	:	RC0030	Use an approved, properly fitted, HEPA filter cartridge respirator, or a respirator of greater protection if there is the potential to exceed the exposure limit(s).
<b>Skin and Body</b>	:	RC0030	Work uniform or laboratory coat.
<b>Hands</b>	:	RC0030	Use chemical resistant, impervious gloves. Additional body garments should be used based upon the task being performed (e.g., sleevelets, apron, gauntlets, disposable suits). Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing.
<b>Eyes</b>	:	RC0030	Safety glasses. Goggles, face shield, or other full-face protection if potential exists for direct exposure to dust.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

### Kit Components

11 reaction kit  
 69318: 1 x 10 ul Test Plasmid  
 69319: 2 x 2 ml SOC Medium  
 70235: 1 x 11 BL21(DE3) Singles™ Competent Cells, containing Calcium Chloride (RC0030)

22 reaction kit  
 69318: 1 x 10 ul Test Plasmid  
 69319: 4 x 2 ml SOC Medium  
 70235: 1 x 22 BL21(DE3) Singles™ Competent Cells, containing Calcium Chloride (RC0030)

### Flash Point

Not available.

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

<b>Stability</b>	:	RC0030	The product is stable.
<b>Conditions and Materials to Avoid</b>	:	RC0030	Reactive with acids.
<b>Hazardous Decomposition Products</b>	:		Not available.

## 11. Toxicological Information

### Toxicity Data

<u>Ingredient Name</u>	<u>Test</u>	<u>Result</u>	<u>Route</u>	<u>Species</u>
RC0030	LD50	1000 mg/kg	Oral	Rat
	LD50	1940 mg/kg	Oral	Mouse

**Routes of Entry** : Eye contact.

### Acute Effects

<b>Inhalation</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Ingestion</b>	:	RC0030	Harmful if swallowed.
<b>Skin Contact</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Eye Contact</b>	:	RC0030	Moderately irritating to the eyes.

### Chronic Effects

<b>Adverse Effects</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Target Organs</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Carcinogenic Effects</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Mutagenic Effects</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Developmental and Teratogenic Effects</b>	:		Not available.
<b>Reproductive Effects</b>	:		Not available.

**Other Information** : RC0030 Repeated or prolonged exposure is not known to aggravate medical condition.

## 12. Ecological Information

### Ecotoxicity Data

<u>Ingredient Name</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Result</u>
RC0030	Not available.	Not available.	Not available.

## 13. Disposal Consideration

**Waste Handling and Disposal** : Waste must be disposed of in accordance with federal, state and local environmental control regulations.

## 14. Transport Information

### Air

**IATA-DGR Class** : Not controlled under IATA.

### Packing Group

## 15. Regulatory Information

### EU Regulations

<b>Hazard Symbol(s)</b>	:	Xi
<b>Risk Phrases</b>	:	R36- Irritating to eyes.
<b>Safety Phrases</b>	:	S24- Avoid contact with skin.

### US Regulations

<b>Haz-Com Standard</b>	:	Not controlled under the HCS (United States).
<b>EPA</b>	:	Not available.
<b>State</b>	:	Not available.

**Canadian Regulations**

**WHMIS** : Not controlled under WHMIS (Canada).  
**CEPA** : No products were found.  
**Provincial** : No products were found.

**16. Other Information**

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