

## Safety Data Sheet

Safety Data Sheet according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH)  
Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

### SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### Product identifier

<b>Product code</b>	RBEX46
<b>Product name</b>	Reading Buffer
<b>Unique Formula Identifier (UFI)</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Chemical Name</b>	Not Applicable
<b>REACH registration number</b>	No registration number is given yet for this substance / substances in this mixture since the annual import quantity is less than one tonnage per annum or the transition period for its registration according to Article 23 of REACH has not yet expired.

#### Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

<b>Relevant identified uses</b>	For research use only
<b>Use Description Code</b>	SU22 - Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen), PROC15 - Use as laboratory reagent, PC21 - Laboratory chemicals, SU24 - Scientific research and development
<b>Uses advised against</b>	Not for consumer use.

#### Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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### Emergency telephone number

**24 hour Emergency Response for Hazardous Materials** Within the USA + Canada: 1-800-424-9300 and  
**[or Dangerous Goods] Incident. Spill, Leak, Fire,** 1-703-527-3887  
**Exposure, or Accident. Call CHEMTREC** Outside the USA + Canada: 1-703-741-5970

### Country Specific Emergency Number (if available):

CHEMTREC Ireland (Dublin) +(353)-19014670 (Greeting Language: English and Irish)  
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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### Classification of the substance or mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

##### Physical hazards

Not Hazardous

##### Health hazards

Not Hazardous

##### Environmental hazards

Not Hazardous

##### Additional information

Not Applicable

### Label elements

#### Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]

##### Hazard pictograms

None

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**Signal Word**

None

**Hazard Statements**

Not Applicable

**EU Specific Hazard Statements**

Not Applicable

**Precautionary Statements****Prevention**

Not Applicable

**Response**

Not Applicable

**Storage**

Not Applicable

**Disposal**

Not Applicable

**Other hazards**

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be a PBT or a vPvB

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****Mixtures**

The product contains no substances which at their given concentration, are considered to be hazardous to health. We recommend handling all chemicals with caution.

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

<b>Skin contact</b>	Rinse skin with water. Immediate medical attention is not required.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Not expected to present a significant ingestion hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Not expected to be an inhalation hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use of this material. Consult a physician if necessary.
<b>Notes to Physician</b>	Treat symptomatically.

### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Not Applicable

### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

None.

## SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### Extinguishing media

<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	Water spray. Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ). Foam. Dry chemical.
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	No information available.

### Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Not known

### Advice for firefighters

Standard procedure for chemical fires.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Ensure adequate ventilation  
Always wear recommended Personal Protective Equipment  
Use personal protection equipment  
See section 8 for more information

### Environmental precautions

No special environmental precautions required.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Soak up with inert absorbent material.

### Reference to other sections

See section 8 for more information.

## SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

Use personal protective equipment as required. No special handling advices are necessary.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Keep in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in properly labelled containers.

### Specific end use(s)

For research use only.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** Contains no substances with occupational exposure limit values.

**Engineering Measures** Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

### Exposure controls

#### Personal protection equipment

**Respiratory protection** In case of insufficient ventilation wear respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves Glove material: Compatible chemical-resistant gloves.

**Eye protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Hygiene Measures** Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

#### Environmental exposure controls

No special environmental precautions required.

**Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

<b>Physical state</b>	Solution	
<b>Colour</b>	No data	
<b>Odour</b>	No data	
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	No data	
<b>Melting point / melting range</b>	°C No data	°F No data
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	°C No data	°F No data
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data	
<b>Lower explosion limit</b>	No data	
<b>Upper explosion limit</b>	No data	
<b>Flash point</b>	°C No data	°F No data
<b>Autoignition Temperature</b>	°C No data	°F No data
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	°C No data	°F No data
<b>pH</b>	6-8	
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<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data	
<b>Viscosity</b>	No data	
<b>Solubility</b>	No data	
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	No data	
<b>Vapour Pressure</b>	No data	
<b>Specific gravity</b>	No data	
<b>Relative density</b>	No data	
<b>Vapour density</b>	No data	
<b>Explosive properties</b>	No data	
<b>Oxidising properties</b>	No data	
<b>Particle characteristics</b>	No data	

**Other information****Information with regards to physical hazard classes**

No information available

**Other safety characteristics**

No information available

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<b>Reactivity</b>	None known.
<b>Chemical stability</b>	Stable under normal conditions.
<b>Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	Hazardous reaction has not been reported.
<b>Conditions to avoid</b>	No information available.
<b>Incompatible materials</b>	No dangerous reaction known under conditions of normal use.
<b>Hazardous decomposition products</b>	No data available.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological information

### Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

There is no evidence available indicating acute toxicity.

### Principal Routes of Exposure

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Serious eye damage/irritation</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitisation</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – single exposure</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) – repeated exposure</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Reproductive Toxicity</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification
<b>Aspiration Hazard</b>	Data are conclusive but insufficient for classification

### Information on other hazards

#### Endocrine disrupting properties

No information available

#### Other information

No information available

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### Toxicity

Contains no substances known to be hazardous to the environment or not degradable in waste water treatment plants.

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulative potential** No information available.

**Mobility in soil** No information available.

### Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be a PBT or a vPvB.

### Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain any known or suspected endocrine disruptors

### Other adverse effects

No information available.

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### Waste treatment methods

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. This material and its container must be disposed of in accordance with approved disposal technique. Disposal of this product, its solutions or of any by-products, shall comply with the requirements of all applicable local, regional or national/federal regulations.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### IATA / ADR / DOT-US / IMDG

Not regulated in the meaning of transport regulations

<b>UN number or ID number</b>	Not Applicable
<b>UN proper shipping name</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Transport hazard class(es)</b>	Not Applicable
<b>Packing group</b>	Not Applicable

### Environmental hazards

Not Hazardous

### Special precautions for user

Not Applicable

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**Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments**

Not Applicable.

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

**Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

**Substances of Very High Concern**

None

**Substance subject to authorisation per REACH Annex XIV**

None

**Restricted substances under EC 1907/2006, Annex XVII**

None

**Regulation (EC) No 649/2012 (Rotterdam Convention - export/import of dangerous chemicals)**

None

**Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 (Stockholm Convention – persistent organic pollutants)**

None

**EU - Substances Depleting the Ozone layer (1005/2009)**

None

**German Water hazard classes (Wassergefährdungsklassen)**

Not classified.

**Other International Inventories**

No information available

**Chemical safety assessment**

No Chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

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**References**

- ECHA: <http://echa.europa.eu/>
- TOXNET: <http://toxnet.nlm.nih.gov/>
- eChemPortal: <http://www.echemportal.org/>
- LOLI database: <https://www.chemadvisor.com/loli-database>

**Classification and procedure used to derive the classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC)****1272/2008 [CLP]:**

Not classified

**Abbreviations and acronyms****TWA** - Time-Weighted Average**OELs** - Occupational Exposure Limits**STEL** - Short Term Exposure Limit**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List**KECL** - Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory**CEPA** - Canadian Environmental Protection Act**EPA** - Environmental Protection Agency**OSHA** - Occupational Safety and Health Administration of the US Department of Labour**IATA** - International Air Transport Association**DOT** - Department of Transportation**IMDG** - International Maritime Dangerous Goods**ACGIH** - American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists**NIOSH** - National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health**AIHA** - American Industrial Hygiene Association**HMIS** - Department of Defense Hazardous Materials Information System**NTP** - National Toxicology Program**IARC** - International Agency for Research on Cancer

This safety data sheet complies with the requirements of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) 2020/878 amending Annex II to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

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