



MicroBioLogics®

MICROBIOLOGY QUALITY CONTROL SLIDES

SECTION 1 – GENERAL INFORMATION

Manufacturer's Name: MicroBioLogics, Inc.
Emergency Telephone Number: 320-253-1640
Address: 217 Osseo Avenue North,
St. Cloud, Minnesota 56303
Chemical Name or Synonyms: Microbiology Quality Control Slides
Tradename Name: KWIK- QC™ Slides
Microbiology QC Slides
Formula: N/A

SECTION 2 – HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS

Paints, Preservatives, & Solvents: N/A
Alloys and Metallic coatings: N/A
Hazardous Mixtures of other liquids, solids, or gases: N/A

SECTION 3 – PHYSICAL DATA

Boiling Point: N/A
Vapor Pressure: N/A
Vapor Density: N/A
Solubility in Water: N/A
Specific Gravity: N/A
Percent Volatile: N/A
Evaporation Rate: N/A
Appearance and Odor: Air-dried smears of specified quality control microorganisms or clinical samples containing known microorganisms are presented on individual slides. The slides are used to verify performance of stain reagents, staining methods, and the performance of personnel interpreting microscopic examinations. There is no specific odor associated with the Quality Control Slides.

SECTION 4 – FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

Flash Point: N/A **Flammable Limits:** N/A

SECTION 5 – HEALTH HAZARD DATA

The microorganisms presented in the smears are nonviable and do not pose a health threat. The microorganisms are nonviable due to methanol fixing or the use of clinical samples that have been placed in preservative-fixative solutions (e.g. PVA, SAF, formalin, acetone, etc.). The microscope slide preparations are for in vitro use only.

**SECTION 6 – REACTIVITY DATA**

First Aid: Other than cuts or punctures resulting from accidental breaking of the glass microscope slide, and a responsible response to these injuries, no specific first aid procedures are required.

Stability: These products are stable if proper storage conditions are observed. Storage conditions are stated in the product-labeling format (e.g; “Store at 15°C to 30°C, in the original and intact container”).

Incompatibility: N/A

Hazardous Decomposition Products: N/A

Hazardous Polymerization: N/A

SECTION 7 - SPILL OR LEAK PROCEDURES

Steps to be taken in case material is spilled or released: N/A

Waste Disposal Method: Avoiding injuries due to breakage must be considered for proper disposal of glass microscope slides.

SECTION 8 – SPECIAL PROTECTION INFORMATION

Respiratory Protection: N/A

Contact Precautions: N/A

Protective Clothing: The use of gloves, safety glasses, moisture impervious aprons, and other protective clothing must be dictated by the standard operational procedures of each individual laboratory for performing microbiology staining procedures.

SECTION 9 – SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS

The Product Insert, which accompanies the distribution of each product, contains specific information regarding specific precautions. The microscope slide preparations are for in vitro use only.

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