



# SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## Section 1: Identification

### Product identifier

**Product name** Monarch RNA Priming Buffer

**Product No** T2013-1

### Other means of identification

**Synonyms** None

**Pure substance/mixture** Mixture

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

**Recommended use** This product is for research and development only.

### Uses advised against

**Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents** This product contains one or more substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list. Verify requirements related to using, handling, and storing these substances.

### Details of manufacturer or importer

#### Supplier

New England BioLabs (Australia) Pty Ltd  
22/270 Ferntree Gully Road  
Notting Hill, VIC 3168

For further information, please contact

**Contact Point** Product Safety Department

**E-mail address** info.au@neb.com

### Emergency telephone number

**Company Phone Number** 1800 934 218

**24 Hour Emergency Phone Number** Chemtrec +65 3163 8374  
**Australian Poisons Information:** 131 126

## Section 2: Hazard(s) identification

### GHS Classification

Flammable liquids	Category 2
Acute toxicity - Oral	Category 4
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Category 4
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2

### Label elements

Flame

Exclamation mark



### Signal word

DANGER

### Hazard statements

Highly flammable liquid and vapor

Harmful if swallowed

Harmful in contact with skin

Causes skin irritation

Causes serious eye irritation

### Precautionary Statements - Prevention

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product

Wear protective gloves/clothing and eye/face protection

Ground and bond container and receiving equipment

Use non-sparking tools

Take action to prevent static discharges

Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking

Keep container tightly closed

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing

If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water and soap

Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water [or shower]

IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor if you feel unwell

Rinse mouth

In case of fire: Use dry sand, dry chemical or alcohol-resistant foam to extinguish

### Precautionary Statements - Storage

Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool

### Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Other hazards which do not result in classification

No information available.

## Section 3: Composition and information on ingredients

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
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Guanidine Hydrochloride	50-01-1	40 - 50%
Non-hazardous ingredients	Proprietary	Balance

\*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

## Section 4: First aid measures

### Description of first aid measures

<b>General advice</b>	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
<b>Inhalation</b>	Remove to fresh air. Get medical attention immediately if symptoms occur.
<b>Eye contact</b>	Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes. Keep eye wide open while rinsing. Do not rub affected area. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.
<b>Skin contact</b>	Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
<b>Ingestion</b>	Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Call a physician.
<b>Self-protection of the first aider</b>	Remove all sources of ignition. Ensure that medical personnel are aware of the material(s) involved, take precautions to protect themselves and prevent spread of contamination. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more information. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

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

**Symptoms** May cause redness and tearing of the eyes. Burning sensation.

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

**Note to physicians** Treat symptomatically.

## Section 5: Firefighting measures

### Suitable extinguishing media

**Suitable extinguishing media** Dry chemical. Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>). Water spray. Alcohol resistant foam.

**Large Fire** CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media** Do not scatter spilled material with high pressure water streams.

### Special exposure hazards in a fire

**Specific hazards arising from the chemical** Risk of ignition. Keep product and empty container away from heat and sources of ignition. In the event of fire, cool tanks with water spray. Fire residues and contaminated fire extinguishing water must be disposed of in accordance with local regulations.

### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

**Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters** Firefighters should wear self-contained breathing apparatus and full firefighting turnout gear. Use personal protection equipment.

## Section 6: Accidental release measures

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more information. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Ensure adequate ventilation. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak. ELIMINATE all ignition sources (no smoking, flares, sparks or flames in immediate area). Pay attention to flashback. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. All equipment used when handling the product must be grounded. Do not touch or walk through spilled material.

**Other information** Ventilate the area. Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

**For emergency responders** Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

### Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent product from entering drains.

### Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Stop leak if you can do it without risk. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. A vapor suppressing foam may be used to reduce vapors. Dike far ahead of spill to collect runoff water. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways. Absorb with earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers for later disposal.

**Methods for cleaning up** Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Dam up. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

### Precautions to prevent secondary hazards

**Prevention of secondary hazards** Clean contaminated objects and areas thoroughly observing environmental regulations.

## Section 7: Handling and storage

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Use personal protection equipment. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Use grounding and bonding connection when transferring this material to prevent static discharge, fire or explosion. Use with local exhaust ventilation. Use spark-proof tools and explosion-proof equipment. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Use according to package label instructions. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.

**General hygiene considerations** Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Wash hands before breaks and immediately after handling the product. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, sparks, flame and other sources of ignition (i.e., pilot lights, electric motors and static electricity). Keep in properly labeled containers. Do not store near combustible materials. Keep in an area equipped with sprinklers. Store in accordance with the particular national regulations. Store in accordance with local regulations. Keep out of the reach of children. Store locked up.

**Incompatible materials** Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.

## Section 8: Exposure controls and personal protection

### Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

**Biological occupational exposure limits** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with biological limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering controls** Showers  
Eyewash stations  
Ventilation systems.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles.

**Skin and body protection** Wear suitable protective clothing. Long sleeved clothing. Chemical resistant apron.  
Antistatic boots.

**Hand protection** Wear suitable gloves. Impervious gloves.

**Respiratory protection** No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

**Thermal hazards** No information available.

## Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical state** Liquid  
**Appearance** Colorless  
**Color** No information available  
**Odor** Mild.  
**Odor threshold** No information available

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	90 °C	
<b>Flash point</b>	22 °C	
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		None known
<b>Upper flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Vapor density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Relative density</b>	No data available	None known

Water solubility	No data available	None known
Solubility(ies)	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	363 °C	
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known

**Other information**

VOC content	No information available
Particle characteristics	No information available

**Section 10: Stability and reactivity****Reactivity**

Reactivity	No information available.
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**Chemical stability**

Stability	Stable under normal conditions.
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**Explosion data**

Sensitivity to mechanical impact	None.
Sensitivity to static discharge	Yes.

**Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Possibility of hazardous reactions	None under normal processing.
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**Conditions to avoid**

Conditions to avoid	Heat, flames and sparks.
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**Incompatible materials**

Incompatible materials	Strong acids. Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.
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**Hazardous decomposition products**

Hazardous decomposition products	None known based on information supplied.
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**Section 11: Toxicological information****Acute toxicity****Information on likely routes of exposure****Product Information**

Inhalation	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. May cause irritation of respiratory tract.
Eye contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes serious eye irritation. (based on components). May cause redness, itching, and pain.
Skin contact	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Causes skin irritation. (based on components).
Ingestion	Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available. Ingestion may cause

gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Harmful if swallowed. (based on components).

**Symptoms** Redness. May cause redness and tearing of the eyes.

#### Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral)	1,661.00 mg/kg
ATEmix (dermal)	2,000.00 mg/kg
ATEmix (inhalation-gas)	99,999.00 ppm
ATEmix (inhalation-vapor)	99,999.00 mg/l
ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)	116.90 mg/l

#### **Unknown acute toxicity**

60 % of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute dermal toxicity

#### **Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Guanidine Hydrochloride	= 773.6 mg/kg ( Rat ) = 907.1 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 2000 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	= 3.181 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h = 7.655 mg/L ( Rat ) 4 h

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

#### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

<b>Skin corrosion/irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes skin irritation.
<b>Serious eye damage/eye irritation</b>	Classification based on data available for ingredients. Causes serious eye irritation.
<b>Respiratory or skin sensitization</b>	No information available.
<b>Germ cell mutagenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	No information available.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	No information available.

## **Section 12: Ecological information**

### Ecotoxicity

**Aquatic ecotoxicity**

**Unknown aquatic toxicity** 0 % of the mixture consists of component(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment.

**Terrestrial ecotoxicity** There is no data for this product.

**Persistence and degradability**

**Persistence and degradability** No information available.

**Bioaccumulative potential****Bioaccumulation****Component Information**

Chemical name	Partition coefficient
Guanidine Hydrochloride	-1.7

**Mobility**

**Mobility** No information available.

**Other adverse effects**

**Other adverse effects** No information available.

**Section 13: Disposal considerations****Waste treatment methods**

**Waste from residues/unused products** Should not be released into the environment. Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation.

**Contaminated packaging** Empty containers pose a potential fire and explosion hazard. Do not cut, puncture or weld containers.

See section 8 for more information

**Section 14: Transport information**

**ADG** Not regulated

**IATA**

**UN number or ID number** UN1993  
**Proper shipping name** Flammable liquid, n.o.s.  
**Transport hazard class(es)** 3  
**Packing group** II

**IMDG**

**UN number or ID number** UN1993  
**Proper shipping name** Flammable liquid, n.o.s.  
**Transport hazard class(es)** 3  
**Packing group** II

**Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code**



No information available

## Section 15: Regulatory information

### Regulatory information

#### National regulations

##### Australia

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

#### **Standard for Uniform Scheduling of Medicines and Poisons (SUSMP)**

No poisons schedule number allocated

#### **Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)**

Chemical name	Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)	Additional information
Guanidine Hydrochloride - 50-01-1	Present	-

#### **Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents**

This product contains one or more substance(s) on the Illicit Drug Precursors/Reagents list. Verify requirements related to using, handling, and storing these substances.

#### **Major hazard (accident/incident planning) regulation**

Verify that license requirements are met

##### Hazardous chemical

Liquids with flash points <61°C kept above their boiling points at ambient conditions

##### Threshold quantity (T)

200

#### **International Inventories**

<b>AIC</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>NZIoC</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>TSCA</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>DSL/NDSL</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>EINECS/ELINCS</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>ENCS</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>IECSC</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>KECL</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.
<b>PICCS</b>	Contact supplier for inventory compliance status.

#### **Legend:**

**AICS** - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

**NZIoC** - New Zealand Inventory of Chemicals

**TSCA** - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory

**DSL/NDSL** - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

**EINECS/ELINCS** - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

**ENCS** - Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances

**IECSC** - China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances

**KECL** - Korean Existing Chemicals Inventory  
**PICCS** - Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances

### **International Regulations**

**The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer** Not applicable

**The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants** Not applicable

**The Rotterdam Convention** Not applicable

## **Section 16: Other information**

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### **Revision Note**

### **Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet**

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

TWA	TWA (time-weighted average)	STEL	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit)
Ceiling	Maximum limit value	Sk*	Skin designation
C	Carcinogen		

### **Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR)  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ChemView Database  
 European Food Safety Authority (EFSA)  
 Environmental Protection Agency  
 Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
 U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
 Food Research Journal  
 Hazardous Substance Database  
 International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
 National Institute of Technology and Evaluation (NITE)  
 Australia National Industrial Chemicals Notification and Assessment Scheme (NICNAS)  
 Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)  
 NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
 National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
 National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
 U.S. National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
 New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program  
 Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
 World Health Organization

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