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## **SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION**

## 1.1 Product Identifier

Product Form: Mixture

Product Name: ThawSTAR CFT2 and CFT1.5 confirmation vials

#### 1.2. Intended Use of the Product

Thaw Testing. Not to be used in the liquid phase of liquid nitrogen.

## 1.3. Name, Address, and Telephone of the Responsible Party

Company

BioLife Solutions, Inc. 3303 Monte Villa Parkway Suite 310 Bothell, WA 98021 425-402-1400 www.BiolifeSolutions.com

## 1.4. Emergency Telephone Number

Emergency Number: 425-402-1400

## **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

#### 2.1. Classification of the Substance or Mixture

GHS-US/CA Classification

Not classified

#### 2.2. Label Elements

GHS-US/CA Labeling

No labeling applicable according to 29 CFR 1910.1200 and the Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) SOR/2015-17.

## 2.3. Other Hazards

Exposure may aggravate pre-existing eye, skin, or respiratory conditions.

## 2.4. Unknown Acute Toxicity (GHS-US/CA)

No data available

# **SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

# 3.2. Mixture

Name	Synonyms	Product Identifier	% *	<b>GHS Ingredient Classification</b>
Water	AQUA / Aqua	(CAS-No.) 7732-18-5	85 - 90	Not classified
1,2,3-Propanetriol	Propane-1,2,3-triol / GLYCERIN / 1,2,3-Trihydroxypropane / Glycerol / Glycerine / Glycerin	(CAS-No.) 56-81-5	10 - 15	Not classified

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

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<sup>\*</sup> Percentages are listed in weight by weight percentage (w/w%) for liquid and solid ingredients. Gas ingredients are listed in volume by volume percentage (v/v%).

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## **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

## 4.1. Description of First-aid Measures

**General:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).

**Inhalation:** When symptoms occur: go into open air and ventilate suspected area. Obtain medical attention if breathing difficulty persists. **Skin Contact**: Remove contaminated clothing. Drench affected area with water for at least 5 minutes. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**Eye Contact:** Rinse cautiously with water for at least 5 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Obtain medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

Ingestion: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain medical attention.

# 4.2. Most Important Symptoms and Effects Both Acute and Delayed

General: Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

**Inhalation:** Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.

Skin Contact: Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation. Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

**Eye Contact:** May cause slight irritation to eyes. **Ingestion:** Ingestion may cause adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: None known.

# 4.3. Indication of Any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If exposed or concerned, get medical advice and attention. If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

# **SECTION 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**

## 5.1. Extinguishing Media

**Suitable Extinguishing Media:** Water spray, fog, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), alcohol-resistant foam, or dry chemical. **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media:** Do not use a heavy water stream. Use of heavy stream of water may spread fire.

## 5.2. Special Hazards Arising From the Substance or Mixture

**Fire Hazard:** Not considered flammable but may burn at high temperatures.

**Explosion Hazard:** Product is not explosive.

Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions. Reacts with strong oxidizers.

#### 5.3. Advice for Firefighters

Precautionary Measures Fire: Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire.

**Firefighting Instructions:** Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Do not breathe fumes from fires or vapors from decomposition.

**Protection During Firefighting:** Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

Hazardous Combustion Products: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Irritating fumes.

## 5.4. Reference to Other Sections

Refer to Section 9 for flammability properties.



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# **SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES**

# 6.1. Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

General Measures: Avoid prolonged contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing (vapor, mist, spray).

## 6.1.1. For Non-Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

Emergency Procedures: Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

## 6.1.2. For Emergency Personnel

Protective Equipment: Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

**Emergency Procedures:** Upon arrival at the scene, a first responder is expected to recognize the presence of dangerous goods, protect oneself and the public, secure the area, and call for the assistance of trained personnel as soon as conditions permit. Ventilate area.

#### 6.2. Environmental Precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters.

#### 6.3. Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up

For Containment: Contain any spills with dikes or absorbents to prevent migration and entry into sewers or streams.

**Methods for Cleaning Up:** Clean up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Absorb and/or contain spill with inert material. Transfer spilled material to a suitable container for disposal. Contact competent authorities after a spill.

#### 6.4. Reference to Other Sections

See Section 8 for exposure controls and personal protection and Section 13 for disposal considerations.

## **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

# 7.1. Precautions for Safe Handling

**Precautions for Safe Handling:** Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Avoid prolonged contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, spray. Use appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

Hygiene Measures: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures.

## 7.2. Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities

**Technical Measures:** Comply with applicable regulations.

**Storage Conditions:** Keep container closed when not in use. Store in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep/Store away from direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures and incompatible materials. Material is hygroscopic.

Incompatible Materials: Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers.

# 7.3. Specific End Use(s)

Thaw Testing. Not to be used in the liquid phase of liquid nitrogen.

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# **SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

#### 8.1. Control Parameters

For substances listed in section 3 that are not listed here, there are no established exposure limits from the manufacturer, supplier, importer, or the appropriate advisory agency including: ACGIH (TLV), AIHA (WEEL), NIOSH (REL), OSHA (PEL), or Canadian provincial governments.

# 1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)

USA OSHA	OSHA PEL (TWA) (mg/m³)	15 mg/m³ (mist, total particulate) 5 mg/m³ (mist, respirable fraction)
Alberta	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist)
British Columbia	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist) 3 mg/m³ (mist-respirable)
New Brunswick	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist)
Nunavut	OEL STEL (mg/m³)	20 mg/m³ (mist)
Nunavut	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist)
Northwest Territories	OEL STEL (mg/m³)	20 mg/m³ (mist)
Northwest Territories	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist)
Québec	VEMP (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist)
Saskatchewan	OEL STEL (mg/m³)	20 mg/m³ (mist)
Saskatchewan	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	10 mg/m³ (mist)
Yukon	OEL TWA (mg/m³)	30 mppcf (mist) 10 mg/m³ (mist)

## 8.2. Exposure Controls

**Appropriate Engineering Controls:** Suitable eye/body wash equipment should be available in the vicinity of any potential exposure. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Ensure all national/local regulations are observed.

**Personal Protective Equipment:** Not generally required. The use of personal protective equipment may be necessary as conditions warrant. Gloves. Protective clothing. Protective goggles.







Materials for Protective Clothing: Chemically resistant materials and fabrics.

Hand Protection: Wear protective gloves.

Eye and Face Protection: Chemical safety goggles.

Skin and Body Protection: Wear suitable protective clothing.

**Respiratory Protection:** If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, approved respiratory protection should be worn. In case of inadequate ventilation, oxygen deficient atmosphere, or where exposure levels are not known wear approved respiratory

protection.

Other Information: When using, do not eat, drink or smoke.

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# **SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

## 9.1. Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	Liquid
Appearance	Viscous liquid, clear
Odor	None
Odor Threshold	Not available
рН	5 (100 g/L aqueous solution)
Evaporation Rate	Not available
Melting Point	Not available
Freezing Point	Not available
Boiling Point	Not available
Flash Point	Not available
Auto-ignition Temperature	Not available
Decomposition Temperature	Not available
Flammability (solid, gas)	Not applicable
Lower Flammable Limit	Not available
Upper Flammable Limit	Not available
Vapor Pressure	Not available
Relative Vapor Density at 20°C	Not available
Relative Density	Not available
Density	1.261 g/cm³ (100% Glycerol)
Specific Gravity	Not available
Solubility	Water: Miscible Ether: Vey slightly soluble in diethyl ether/ethyl ether Acetone: Partially soluble Organic solvent: Insoluble in carbon tetrachloride, benzene, chloroform, petroleum ethers and oils. Limited solubility in ethyl acetate.
Partition Coefficient: N-Octanol/Water	Not available
Viscosity	Not available

# **SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

- 10.1. Reactivity: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal conditions. Reacts with strong oxidizers.
- 10.2. Chemical Stability: Stable under recommended handling and storage conditions (see section 7).
- 10.3. Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerization will not occur.
- 10.4. Conditions to Avoid: Direct sunlight, extremely high or low temperatures, and incompatible materials.
- **10.5. Incompatible Materials:** Strong acids, strong bases, strong oxidizers.
- 10.6. Hazardous Decomposition Products: Carbon oxides (CO, CO<sub>2</sub>). Acrolein.



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# **SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

# 11.1. Information on Toxicological Effects - Product

Acute Toxicity (Oral): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Not classified
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Not classified
LD50 and LC50 Data: Not available
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Not classified
Eye Damage/Irritation: Not classified
pH: 5 (100 g/L aqueous solution)

Respiratory or Skin Sensitization: Not classified

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Not classified Carcinogenicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Repeated Exposure): Not classified

Reproductive Toxicity: Not classified

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (Single Exposure): Not classified

Aspiration Hazard: Not classified

**Symptoms/Injuries After Inhalation:** Prolonged exposure may cause irritation.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Skin Contact:** Prolonged exposure may cause skin irritation.

Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

**Symptoms/Injuries After Eye Contact:** May cause slight irritation to eyes. **Symptoms/Injuries After Ingestion:** Ingestion may cause adverse effects.

Chronic Symptoms: None known.

## 11.2. Information on Toxicological Effects - Ingredient(s)

## LD50 and LC50 Data:

## 1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)

LD50 Oral Rat	12600 mg/kg
LD50 Dermal Rabbit	> 10 g/kg
LD50 Inhalation Rat	> 570 mg/m³ (Exposure time: 1 h)

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Not established.

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Ecology – General: Not Classified 1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)

LC50 Fish 1 54000 (51000 - 57000) mg/l (Exposure time: 96 h - Species: Oncorhynchus mykiss [static])

## 12.2. Persistence and Degradability

## ThawSTAR CFT2 and CFT1.5 confirmation vials

	Persistence and Degradability	Not established.
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#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative Potential

Bioaccumulative Potential

#### ThawSTAR CFT2 and CFT1.5 confirmation vials

1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)	
BCF Fish 1	(no bioaccumulation)
Log Pow	-1.76

# 12.4. Mobility in Soil Not available

## 12.5. Other Adverse Effects

Other Information: Avoid release to the environment.

# **SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste Disposal Recommendations: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, regional, national, territorial, provincial, and international regulations.

Ecology - Waste Materials: Avoid release to the environment.

# **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

The shipping description(s) stated herein were prepared in accordance with certain assumptions at the time the SDS was authored, and can vary based on a number of variables that may or may not have been known at the time the SDS was issued.

14.1. In Accordance with DOT	Not regulated for transport
14.2. In Accordance with IMDG	Not regulated for transport
14.3. In Accordance with IATA	Not regulated for transport
14.4. In Accordance with TDG	Not regulated for transport

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# **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

## 15.1. US Federal Regulations

Water (7732-18-5)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)

Listed on the United States TSCA (Toxic Substances Control Act) inventory

## 15.2. US State Regulations

## 1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)

U.S. - Massachusetts - Right To Know List

U.S. - New Jersey - Right to Know Hazardous Substance List

U.S. - Pennsylvania - RTK (Right to Know) List

## 15.3. Canadian Regulations

Water (7732-18-5)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

1,2,3-Propanetriol (56-81-5)

Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

# SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION, INCLUDING DATE OF PREPARATION OR LAST REVISION

Other Information

: This document has been prepared in accordance with the SDS requirements of the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200 and Canada's Hazardous Products Regulations (HPR) SOR/2015-17.

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.

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