



Safety Data Sheet

Cat. # RC-105

Tris Base

Size: 500g





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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Identification

Product form	: Substance
Substance name	: tris(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane
Chemical name	: Tris Base
CAS-No.	: 77-86-1
Product code	: 182T_T101
Formula	: C4H11NO3
Synonyms	: 1,1,1-tris(hydroxymethyl)methylamine / 1,3-propanediol, 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)- / 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol / 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)propane-1,3-diol / 2-amino-2-hydroxymethyl-1,3-propanediol / 2-amino-2-hydroxymethylpropanediol / 2-amino-2-methylol-1,3-propanediol / addex-tham / aminotrimethylolmethane / aminotris(hydroxymethyl)methane / methanamine, 1,1,1-tris(hydroxymethyl)- / methylamine, 1,1,1-tris(hydroxymethyl)- / pehanorm / TALATROL / THAM / THAM set / THAM-E / tri(hydroxymethyl)methylamine / trimethylolaminomethane / TRIS / tris (buffering agent) / tris amine buffer / TRIS AMINO / TRIS buffer / TRIS(base) / tris(hydroxymethyl)methanamine / tris(hydroxymethyl)methylamine / trisamin / trisamine / trisaminol / tris-hydroxymethylaminomethan / tris-hydroxymethylaminomethane / TRISPUFFER / TRIS-STERIL / TRIZMA / trometamol / trometamole / tromethamine / TROMETHANE / tromethanmin / tutofusin TRIS
BIG No	: 27190

1.2. Recommended use and restrictions on use

Use of the substance/mixture : Laboratory chemical

1.3. Supplier

Geno Technology, Inc./ G-Biosciences
9800 Page Avenue
Saint Louis, 63132-1429 - United States
T 800-628-7730 - F 314-991-1504
technical@GBiosciences.com - www.GBiosciences.com

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec **1-800-424-9300** (USA/Canada), **+1-703-527-3887** (Intl)

SECTION 2: Hazard(s) identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GHS US classification

Not classified

2.2. GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

GHS US labeling

No labeling applicable

2.3. Other hazards which do not result in classification

No additional information available

2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Substance type : Mono-constituent

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Name	Common Name (Synonyms)	Product identifier	%	GHS US classification
tris(hydroxymethyl)aminomethane (Main constituent)	1,1,1-tris(hydroxymethyl)methylamine / 1,3-propanediol, 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)- / 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)-1,3-propanediol / 2-amino-2-(hydroxymethyl)propane-1,3-diol / 2-amino-2-hydroxymethyl-1,3-propanediol / 2-amino-2-hydroxymethylpropanediol / 2-amino-2-methylol-1,3-propanediol / addex-tham / aminotrimethylolmethane / aminotris(hydroxymethyl)methane / methanamine, 1,1,1-tris(hydroxymethyl)- / methylamine, 1,1,1-tris(hydroxymethyl)- / pehanorm / TALATROL / THAM / THAM set / THAM-E / tri(hydroxymethyl)methylamine / trimethylolaminomethane / TRIS / tris (buffering agent) / tris amine buffer / TRIS AMINO / TRIS buffer / TRIS(base) / tris(hydroxymethyl)methanamine / tris(hydroxymethyl)methylamine / trisamin / trisamine / trisaminol / tris-hydroxymethylaminomethan / tris-hydroxymethylaminomethane / TRISPUFFER / TRIS-STERIL / TRIZMA / trometamol / trometamol / tromethamine / TROMETHANE / tromethanmin / tutofusin TRIS	(CAS-No.) 77-86-1	100	Not classified

Full text of hazard classes and H-statements : see section 16

3.2. Mixtures

Not applicable

SECTION 4: First-aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures general : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice.
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove the victim into fresh air. Respiratory problems: consult a doctor/medical service.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse with water. Soap may be used. Take victim to a doctor if irritation persists.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse with water. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Take victim to an ophthalmologist if irritation persists.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth with water. Call Poison Information Centre (www.big.be/antigif.htm). Consult a doctor/medical service if you feel unwell. Ingestion of large quantities: immediately to hospital.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects (acute and delayed)

- Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Practically non-toxic. Non-toxic if swallowed (LD50 oral, rat > 5000 mg/kg). Non-toxic in contact with skin (LD50 skin > 5000 mg/kg). Not irritant to skin. Not irritant to eyes.
- Symptoms/effects after inhalation : No effects known.
- Symptoms/effects after skin contact : No effects known.
- Symptoms/effects after eye contact : No effects known.
- Symptoms/effects after ingestion : No effects known.
- Chronic symptoms : No effects known.

4.3. Immediate medical attention and special treatment, if necessary

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Suitable (and unsuitable) extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Quick-acting ABC powder extinguisher. Class A foam extinguisher. Water (quick-acting extinguisher, reel). Water. Class A foam.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Quick-acting BC powder extinguisher. Quick-acting CO2 extinguisher.

5.2. Specific hazards arising from the chemical

- Fire hazard : DIRECT FIRE HAZARD: Non-flammable. Most organic solids may burn if strongly heated.
- Explosion hazard : DIRECT EXPLOSION HAZARD: Most organic solids are liable to dust explosion hazard.

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5.3. Special protective equipment and precautions for fire-fighters

- Precautionary measures fire : Exposure to fire/heat: keep upwind. Exposure to fire/heat: consider evacuation. Exposure to fire/heat: have neighbourhood close doors and windows.
- Firefighting instructions : Dilute toxic gases with water spray. Take account of toxic/corrosive precipitation water.
- Protection during firefighting : Heat/fire exposure: compressed air/oxygen apparatus.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

- Protective equipment : Gloves. Protective clothing. Dust cloud production: compressed air/oxygen apparatus.
- Emergency procedures : Mark the danger area. Prevent dust cloud formation, e.g. by wetting. No naked flames. Wash contaminated clothes.
- Measures in case of dust release : In case of dust production: keep upwind. Dust production: have neighbourhood close doors and windows.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

- Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

- For containment : Contain released product, pump into suitable containers. Plug the leak, cut off the supply. Knock down/dilute dust cloud with water spray.
- Methods for cleaning up : Stop dust cloud by humidifying. Scoop solid spill into closing containers. Clean contaminated surfaces with an excess of water. Wash clothing and equipment after handling.
- Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

- For further information refer to section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Avoid raising dust. In finely divided state: use spark-/explosionproof appliances. Finely divided: keep away from ignition sources/sparks. Carry operations in the open/under local exhaust/ventilation or with respiratory protection. Comply with the legal requirements. Clean contaminated clothing. Powdered form: no compressed air for pumping over. Keep container tightly closed.
- Hygiene measures : Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
- Storage temperature : ambient temperature
- Heat-ignition : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: heat sources. ignition sources.
- Information on mixed storage : KEEP SUBSTANCE AWAY FROM: oxidizing agents. (strong) bases. (strong) acids. metals. Halogenated hydrocarbons. water/moisture.
- Storage area : Store in a dry area. Keep container in a well-ventilated place. May be stored under inert gas. Store at room temperature. Keep out of direct sunlight. Meet the legal requirements.
- Special rules on packaging : SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: closing. watertight. dry. correctly labelled. meet the legal requirements. Secure fragile packagings in solid containers.
- Packaging materials : SUITABLE MATERIAL: steel. iron. synthetic material. MATERIAL TO AVOID: aluminium. copper. brass. zinc.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

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No additional information available

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8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls : Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
Environmental exposure controls : Avoid release to the environment.

8.3. Individual protection measures/Personal protective equipment

Materials for protective clothing:

GIVE EXCELLENT RESISTANCE: nitrile rubber

Hand protection:

Protective gloves against chemicals (EN374)

Eye protection:

Safety glasses. In case of dust production: protective goggles

Skin and body protection:

Protective clothing

Respiratory protection:

Dust production: dust mask with filter type P1

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Solid
Appearance : Crystalline solid. Crystalline powder.
Color : White
Odor : Amine-like odour Mild odour
Odor threshold : No data available
pH : 10 - 11 (5 %)
Melting point : 169 °C (1013 hPa, Equivalent or similar to OECD 102)
Freezing point : Not applicable
Boiling point : 288 °C (1011 - 1016 hPa, Equivalent or similar to OECD 103)
Flash point : Not applicable
Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available
Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable.
Vapor pressure : < 0.01 hPa (20 °C)
Relative vapor density at 20 °C : 4.2
Relative density : Not applicable
Specific gravity / density : 1320 kg/m³ (20.4 °C, OECD 109: Density of Liquids and Solids)
Molecular mass : 121.14 g/mol
Solubility : Soluble in water. Soluble in methanol. Soluble in ethyleneglycol.
Water: 678 - 689 g/l (20 °C, ASTM E1148-02: Standard Test Method for Measurements of Aqueous Solubility)
Ethanol: 2.2 g/100ml
Acetone: 2 g/100ml
Log Pow : -2.31 (Experimental value, OECD 107: Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): Shake Flask Method, 20 °C)
Auto-ignition temperature : Not applicable
Decomposition temperature : 288 °C (Equivalent or similar to OECD 103, 1011 - 1016 hPa)
Viscosity, kinematic : No data available
Viscosity, dynamic : No data available
Explosion limits : Not applicable
Explosive properties : No data available
Oxidizing properties : No data available

9.2. Other information

VOC content : 0 %

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Other properties : Hygroscopic. Basic reaction.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Hygroscopic.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified

Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified

Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

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LD50 oral rat	> 5000 mg/kg body weight (OECD 425: Acute Oral Toxicity: Up-and-Down Procedure, Rat, Female, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 dermal rat	> 5000 mg/kg body weight (OECD 402: Acute Dermal Toxicity, 24 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Dermal)

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified

pH: 10 - 11 (5 %)

Serious eye damage/irritation : Not classified

pH: 10 - 11 (5 %)

Respiratory or skin sensitization : Not classified

Germ cell mutagenicity : Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified

Reproductive toxicity : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure : Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure : Not classified

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Potential Adverse human health effects and symptoms : Practically non-toxic. Non-toxic if swallowed (LD50 oral, rat > 5000 mg/kg). Non-toxic in contact with skin (LD50 skin > 5000 mg/kg). Not irritant to skin. Not irritant to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after inhalation : No effects known.

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : No effects known.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : No effects known.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : No effects known.

Chronic symptoms : No effects known.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : The product is not considered harmful to aquatic organisms or to cause long-term adverse effects in the environment.

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Ecology - air	: Not included in the list of substances which may contribute to the greenhouse effect (IPCC). Not included in the list of fluorinated greenhouse gases (Regulation (EU) No 517/2014). Photodegradation in the air. Not classified as dangerous for the ozone layer (Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009).
Ecology - water	: Slightly harmful to crustacea. Not harmful to fishes. Not harmful to activated sludge. Slightly harmful to algae. pH shift.

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EC50 Daphnia 1	> 980 mg/l (OECD 202: Daphnia sp. Acute Immobilisation Test, 48 h, Daphnia magna, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, GLP)
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12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	Readily biodegradable in water.
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12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Log Pow	-2.31 (Experimental value, OECD 107: Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): Shake Flask Method, 20 °C)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.

12.4. Mobility in soil

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Log Koc	1.87 (log Koc, QSAR)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

12.5. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods	: Waste treatment methods.
Product/Packaging disposal recommendations	: Remove waste in accordance with local and/or national regulations. Remove to an authorized incinerator equipped with an afterburner and a flue gas scrubber with energy recovery. Specific preliminary treatment.
Additional information	: Can be considered as non hazardous waste according to Directive 2008/98/EC, as amended by Regulation (EU) No 1357/2014 and Regulation (EU) No 2017/997.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Department of Transportation (DOT)

In accordance with DOT

Other information : No supplementary information available.

Transportation of Dangerous Goods

Transport by sea

Air transport

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. US Federal regulations

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

15.2. International regulations

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Listed on the Canadian DSL (Domestic Substances List)

EU-Regulations

National regulations

No additional information available

15.3. US State regulations

SECTION 16: Other information

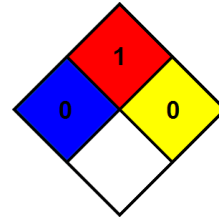
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NFPA health hazard : 0 - Materials that, under emergency conditions, would offer no hazard beyond that of ordinary combustible materials.

NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Materials that must be preheated before ignition can occur.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Material that in themselves are normally stable, even under fire conditions.



SDS US (GHS HazCom 2012)

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