

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

CellSolutions™ Red Lytic General Cytology Preservative

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## SECTION 1: Substance Identification

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### 1.1 Product identifiers:

Product name: CellSolutions™ Red Lytic General Cytology Preservative  
Catalogue number: CR-102L, CR-102G, CR-102-25, CR-102  
Brand: CellSolutions™

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses

*In-vitro* Diagnostics

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

Company: CellSolutions™  
Address: 1100 Revolution Mill Dr., Ste 1  
City, State, Zip: Greensboro, NC 27405 USA  
Telephone: +1-336-510-1120  
Fax: +1-336-510-1159

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Emergency Phone #: +1-336-510-1120

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## SECTION 2: HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

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### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

#### GHS Classification [CLP]

Flammable liquid 3. Flammable liquid and vapour, H226  
Accute Tox 4. Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or inhaled, H302+H312+H332  
Eye Irritant 2. Causes serious eye irritation, H319  
STOT SE 2. May cause damage to organs, H371  
Carcinogenicity, May cause cancer, H350

### 2.2 GHS label elements



**Signal word** Danger

#### Hazard statement(s)

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H319 Causes Serious Eye Irritation  
H336 May cause drowsiness and dizziness  
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#### Precautionary statement(s)

P102 Keep out of reach of children.  
P201 Obtain special instructions before use.  
P202 Do not handle until all safety precautions have been read and understood.  
P210 Keep away from heat/sparks/open flames/hot surfaces – No Smoking.  
P233 Keep container tightly closed.  
P240 Ground /bond container and receiving equipment.  
P241 Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting/equipment.  
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P243	Take precautionary measures against static discharge.
P260	Do not breath dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P261	Avoid breathing dust/fumes/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P264	Wash hands, and anyother body part that has had contact, thoroughly after handling.
P270	Do not eat, drink, or smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well ventilated area.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P281	Use personal protective equipment as required.
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P404	Store in a closed container.
P405	Store locked up.
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local/regional/national/ international regulations.

### 2.3 Other hazards

PBT and vBvP not applicable.

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## SECTION 3: Composition

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### 3.2 Mixtures

#### Dangerous components

	Component	Classification [CLP]	% WT	
CAS-No. : 67-56-1 EC-No. : 200-659-6	Methanol	H225, Highly flammable liquid and vapour H301+311+331, Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or inhaled H370, Causes damage to organs	7-10%	
CAS-No. : 67-63-0 EC-No. : 200-661-7	Isopropyl alcohol	H225 Highly flammable liquid and vapour H319 Causes serious eye irritation H336 May cause drowsiness or dizziness	20-30%	
CAS-No. : 107-21-1 EC-No. : 203-473-3	Ethylene glycol	H302, Harmful if swallowed	5-7.5%	
CAS-No. : 50-00-0 EC-No. : 200-001-8	Formaldehyde	H227, Combustible liquid H301+H311+H331, Toxic if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled H314, Causes severe burns and eye damage H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction H350 May cause cancer H370 Causes damage to organs H402 Harmful to aquatic life	< 5%	

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## SECTION 4: First-aid Measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

- GENERAL ADVICE:** Immediately remove contaminated clothing. Move out of dangerous area. Symptoms of poisoning may show after several hours. Show this SDS to physician.
- INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air and rest  
If recovery is not rapid call for prompt medical attention  
Show this safety data sheet to medical personnel
- EYES:** Irrigate with water for at least 15 minutes  
Take care not to wash chemical from one eye to another  
Get prompt medical attention
- SKIN:** Remove contaminated clothing  
Wash with soap/cleanser and rinse with plenty of water  
If irritation persists, obtain medical attention
- INGESTION:** Do not induce vomiting - beware of aspiration if vomiting occurs  
Give plenty of water to drink  
Seek medical attention immediately

### 4.2 Most important symptoms and effect, both acute and delayed

No further relevant information available.

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

No further relevant information available.

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## SECTION 5: Fire-fighting Measures

### 5.1 Extinguishing media

**Suitable Extinguishers:** Alcohol resistant foam  
Dry powder  
Carbon dioxide  
Water spray / fog

**Unsuitable extinguishers:** Direct water jets

### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the mixture

Toxic gases may be produced.

### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

Do not breathe decomposition products and fumes.  
Use approved self-contained breathing apparatus.  
Wear fire retardant clothing.  
Use water spray to cool containers.  
Danger of flashback exists.  
Prevent runoff from fire control from entering waterways.

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## SECTION 6: Accidental Release Measures

### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Wear protective equipment (Gloves – polyethylene, nitrile or rubber gloves. Eye protection – use goggles or safety glasses)  
Use an appropriate respiratory device for large spills and in confined spaces.  
Remove sources of ignition.  
Mark area and warn personnel.  
See section 5 for fire fighting measures.

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See section 7 for additional information on handling.

See section 8 for additional information on personal protection equipment.

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### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Contain spills if safe to do so. Do not allow to enter waterways.

### 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Remove any sources of ignition. Ensure adequate ventilation. Contain spills. Absorb with a liquid-binding (sand or absorbant granule) or absorbing material and place in a container for disposal according to section 13 and local regulations.

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## SECTION 7: Handling and Storage

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### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

#### Protective measures

Protect from electrostatic charges.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Avoid inhalation of vapour.

Avoid eye and skin contact.

Wear appropriate protective equipment.

Polyethylene, Nitrile, or rubber gloves

Protective clothing

Eye protection such as goggles or safety glasses

Keep out of reach of children.

Prevent aerosol formation.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage

Keep away from ignition sources – NO SMOKING.

Store in a cool, dry, well ventilated area at temperatures between 2°C - 30°C.

Store in tightly closed containers.

Keep out of reach of children.

### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

None other than the use mentioned in section 1.2.

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## SECTION 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

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### 8.1 Control parameters

Component	CAS No.	Value	Control parameter	Basis
Methanol	67-56-1	TWA	200 ppm 260 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	TWA	400 ppm 980 mg/m <sup>3</sup>	OSHA
Ethylene glycol	107-21-1	TLV	100 mg/m <sup>3</sup> (short-term value)	ACGIH
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	TWA	0.75 ppm ST 2 ppm	NIOSH

### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Personal protective equipment

Polythene, nitrile or rubber gloves. Wash hands after use. Wash area(s) immediately if mixture comes into contact with skin.

Suitable overalls, apron, or lab coat. Remove any contaminated clothing immediately.

Goggles or safety glasses.

Air respirator that has been tested and approved under government standards in poorly ventilated areas. Use mechanical ventilation if possible.

#### Environmental control

Store containers with lid closed. Contain spill and prevent further spillage if safe to do so.

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## SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

**APPEARANCE** : Clear, pink/red liquid  
**ODOR** : Formaldehyde Characteristic  
**pH** : 7.5  
**BOILING POINT / RANGE** : 82°C  
**FLASH POINT** : 25°C  
**FLAMMABILITY** : Risk of flammability at temperatures greater than flash point  
**AUTOFLAMMABILITY** : No data available  
**EXPLOSIVE PROPERTIES** : No data available  
**OXIDISING PROPERTIES** : No data available  
**VAPOUR PRESSURE** : No data available  
**RELATIVE DENSITY** : 0.97  
**SOLUBILITY** : Miscible in water  
**VAPOUR DENSITY** : No data available  
**VISCOSITY** : No data available  
**EVAPORATION RATE (Bu Ac = 1)** : No data available

## SECTION 10: Stability and Reactivity

### 10.1 Reactivity

No data available

### 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable at normal temperatures (2°C - 30°C).

### 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known.

### 10.4 Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: high temperature, sources of ignition & direct sunlight.

### 10.5 Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: oxidizing agents.

### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products

No hazardous decomposition products when stored and handled correctly.

## SECTION 11: Toxicological Information

### 11.1 Information on toxicological effects

**Acute toxicity**  
**LD/LC50 (Lethal Dose, 50 percent) values:**

Component	CAS No.		Value
Methanol	67-56-1	Oral – LD50	5628 mg/kg (rat)
Formaldehyde	50-00-0	Oral – LD50	42 mg/kg (rat)
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0	Oral – LD50	5045 mg/kg (rat)
		Inhalation – LD50	16000ppm (rat)
		Dermal – LD50	12800 mg/kg (rabbit)

### Acute effects

Routes of exposure: inhalation, skin absorption and ingestion  
Ingestion: Nausea, vomiting and stomach pains  
Eyes: Irritation  
Skin: Irritation. Repeated skin contact may cause dermatitis  
Inhalation: Irritation. May cause depression of central nervous system.

Unconsciousness can occur in severe cases

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Chronic effects: May cause kidney and liver damage

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## Carcinogenic categories

International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC):

67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol	3
50-00-0	Formaldehyde	1

National Toxicology Program (NTP)

50-00-0	Formaldehyde	R
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Seek Medical attention.

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## SECTION 12: Ecological Information

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### 12.1 Toxicity

No specific data available.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Solvent is readily biodegradable.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not expected to bioaccumulate.

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

Mobile volatile liquid. May penetrate soil groundwater causing contamination.

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Not applicable.

### 12.6 Other adverse effects

No additional adverse effects known.

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## SECTION 13: Disposal Considerations

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### 13.1 Disposal considerations

#### Product

Must be treated as a fire hazard.

Incinerate through a licensed site.

Do not discharge into drains or watercourses.

Dispose through properly licensed contractors.

Dispose of in accordance with 40 CFR 261.3, state and local requirements.

#### Soiled Packaging

Dispose of according to local regulations

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## SECTION 14: Transport Information

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### 14.1 UN/SI number

UN 1992

### 14.2 UN proper shipping name

Flammable Liquids, Toxic, n.o.s. (Methanol, Isopropyl alcohol)

### 14.3 Transport hazard classes

3 Flammable Liquids

IATA/IACO: Class 3 (6.1)

IMO: Class 3.3

### 14.4 Packaging group

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IATA/IACO: III

IMO: III

ADR/RID: Class III

## 14.5 Environmental hazards

No specific data available.

HAZCHEM/Kemler Code: 3W/36

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## SECTION 15: Regulatory Information

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### 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for mixture

SARA Section 313 (specific toxic chemical listing)

67-56-1	Methanol
67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol
107-21-1	Ethylene glycol
50-00-0	Formaldehyde

SARA 311/312 Hazards

Fire Hazard, Acute Health Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

SARA 335 (extremely hazardous substances)

50-00-0	Formaldehyde
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Carcinogenic categories (TLV established by ACGIH)

67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol	A4
107-21-1	Ethylene glycol	A4
50-00-0	Formaldehyde	A2

Massachusetts Right to Know Components

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107-21-1	Ethylene glycol

New Jersey Right to Know Components

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67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol
50-00-0	Formaldehyde
107-21-1	Ethylene glycol

Pennsylvania Right to Know Components

67-56-1	Methanol
67-63-0	Isopropyl alcohol
500-00-0	Formaldehyde
107-21-1	Ethylene glycol

### OTHER REGULATIONS

Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 1994

Environmental Protection Act 1990

### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out for this mixture by the supplier.

## HAZARD & PRECAUTION STATEMENTS

### Hazard statement(s)

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## SECTION 16: Other Information

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### Abreviations:

IATA: International Air Transport Association

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

IMO: International Maritime Organization

ADR: Accord europeen sur le transport de marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Reglement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

TWA: Time Weighted Avgerage

OSHA: Occupation Safety and Health Administration

NIOSH: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

SARA: Superfund Admendments and Reauthorization Act

ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists