

**SECTION 1. IDENTIFICATION****1.1 Product Identifier**

Product Name:	Other Means of Identification. Catalog #:
CRYOcheck LA Sure™	SUR-10
CRYOcheck LA Check™	CHK-10

Product type: Liquid

**1.2 Relevant Identified Uses of the Substance or Mixture and Uses Advised Against**

Recommended Use: Medical device for in vitro diagnostic use

Restrictions on Use: For professional use only

**1.3 Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet**Manufacturer Contact Information: Precision BioLogic Inc., 140 Eileen Stubbs Ave Dartmouth,  
NS B3B 0A9, CanadaEmail: [techsupport@precisionbiologic.com](mailto:techsupport@precisionbiologic.com)Precision BioLogic Inc. Telephone Number: [1-800-267-2796](tel:1-800-267-2796)**1.4 Emergency Telephone Number**

USA Poison Control: 1-800-222-1222

Canada Provincial Poison Control Centers: [www.capcc.ca](http://www.capcc.ca)EU National Helpdesks: <https://echa.europa.eu/support/helpdesks>

**SECTION 2. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION****2.1 Classification of the Mixture**

**This product is not classified according to Regulations (EC) No 1272/2008 and OSHA 29CFR 1910.1200**

Product definition: Mixture  
Classification of the mixture: Not classified

This product is classified according to Regulations (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP/GHS], (US) OSHA Hazard classification of ingredients listed in section 3 in accordance with 29 CFR 1910.1200, and Hazardous Product Regulation HPR (WHMIS 2015).

**2.2 Label Elements:**

Signal Word: No signal words  
Hazard statement: None  
Adverse Human Health Effects and Symptoms: No data available  
Pictograms: None  
Precautionary Statements: No data available

**2.3 Other Hazards not Otherwise Classified:**

The products contain Russell Viper Venom Crude Extract. Russell's Viper Venom (RVV) is a poisonous, lethal venom when injected, ingested or absorbed through broken or scratched skin. This product, as with all animal-based specimens, should be handled with proper laboratory safety procedures to minimize the risk of transmission of infectious disease.

The products contain also Bovine Serum Albumin (BSA), which has been tested and found negative for Bovine IgG, Bluetongue Virus and Vesicular Stomatitis Virus. All BSA raw material was collected from animals in the USA in establishments registered with the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). The animals received ante- and post-mortem inspections under a veterinarian's supervision and were apparently free from infectious and contagious diseases. At no time during collection or processing was the material commingled with any other material of animal origin. During processing this material was subjected to a heat treatment at 65 °C for 3 hours, which meets the EU requirements for treated blood products.

**SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS****3.1. Substance/Mixtures:**

Mixture

Component Name	EC-No	CAS-No	Concentration	Classification
Russell's Viper Venom	-	-	<0.1%	Eye irritation (Category 2), H319 Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure (STOT SE) (Category 3), H335 Skin Irritation (Category 2), H315 Respiratory Sensitization (Category 1), H334

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this Section, see Section 16.

**SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES****4.1 Description of First Aid Measures**

Inhalation:	If inhaled, move person to fresh air. Get medical attention if adverse symptoms appear.
Skin Contact:	Remove contaminated clothes and shoes. Wash affected area immediately with soap or mild detergent and plenty of water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
Eye Contact:	Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Keep eyelid open with fingers while rinsing. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.
Ingestion:	Rinse mouth with plenty of water provided person is conscious. Do not induce vomiting. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**4.2 Most Important Symptoms and Effects, Acute and Delayed**

Russell's Viper Venom (RVV) is a poisonous, lethal venom when injected, ingested or absorbed through broken or scratched skin.

**4.3 Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment**

Note to physician: In case of exposure, the symptoms might be delayed. The exposed person may need to be kept under medical surveillance for 48 hours.

The product contains Russell Viper Venom Crude Extract. If Russell's Viper Venom (RVV) is injected or comes into contact with a cut or other wound in the skin, antivenom may be required. Immediately seek medical attention even if no symptoms are apparent. Symptoms may not present themselves until 6-8 hours post exposure.

No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

**SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES****5.1 Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Product is non-flammable, low risk of fire by the inflammability characteristics of the product in normal conditions of storage, manipulation and use. In the case of the existence of sustained combustion as a result of improper manipulation, storage or use any type of extinguishing agent can be used.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media: Not applicable

**5.2 Specific Hazards Arising from the substance or mixture**

Specific hazards arising from the chemical/substance or mixture: Due to its non-flammable nature, the product does not present a fire risk under normal conditions of storage, manipulation and use.

Hazardous thermal decomposition products: Thermal decomposition may generate toxic and hazardous fumes of carbon oxides, nitrogen oxides, hydrogen cyanide.

**5.3 Special Protective Equipment and Precautions/Advice for Fire-Fighters**

Protective actions: Isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

Equipment for self-protection: Depending on the magnitude of the fire it may be necessary to use full protective clothing and individual respiratory equipment. Minimum emergency facilities and equipment should be available.

**SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****6.1 Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment, and Emergency Procedures**

For non-emergency personnel: Isolate leaks provided that there is no additional risk for the people performing this task. Do not walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.

For emergency responders: Wear appropriate protective equipment (see Section 8). See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

**6.2 Environmental Precautions**

Keep product away from drains, surface and underground water.

**6.3 Methods for Containment and Cleaning Up**

Soak up with inert absorbent material, and clean with plenty of water. Collect spilled material in appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licenced waste disposal contractor.

**6.4 Reference to Other Sections**

See Section 1 for emergency contact information  
See Section 8 for information on appropriate personal protective equipment  
See Section 13 for additional waste treatment information

**SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE****7.1 Precautions for Safe Handling**

Protective measures: Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).

Advice on general occupational hygiene: Do not eat, drink or smoke in areas where this mixture is handled, stored and processed. Wash hands with soap and water after handling the mixture and before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

**7.2 Conditions for Safe Storage, Including Any Incompatibilities**

Store at temperature indicated on the product label. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Avoid environmental release. Keep away from food and drinks. Store in accordance with local regulations.

**7.3 Specific End Uses**

The product is intended for in vitro diagnostic use. Use the product in accordance with Good Laboratory Practice.

**SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION**

**8.1 Control Parameters:** None

**8.2 Exposure Controls:** No exposure limit value known.

**8.2.1 Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

**8.2.2 Individual Protection Measures**

**Eye/Face Protection:** Safety eyewear complying with an approved standard should be used when a risk assessment indicates this is necessary to avoid exposure to liquid splashes, mists, gases or dusts. If contact is possible, the following protection should be worn, unless the assessment indicates a higher degree of protection: safety glasses with side-shields.

**Skin Protection:** Handle with chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard. Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use in accordance with applicable laws and good laboratory practices. Wash and dry hands.

**Respiratory Protection:** Respiratory protection is not required. Based on the hazard and potential for exposure, select a respirator that meets the appropriate standard or certification.

**Body Protection:** Personal protective equipment (PPE) should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved.

**Other skin protection:** Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved.

**8.2.3 Environmental Exposure Controls** Avoid any release into the environment

## SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### 9.1 Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical state:	Liquid
Odor:	Odorless
Odor Threshold:	Not applicable
Color:	CRYOcheck LA Check™: green color CRYOcheck LA Sure™: pink color
pH:	Neutral
Melting point/freezing point:	Not available
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	Not available
Flash point:	Product does not sustain combustion
Evaporation rate:	Not available
Flammability:	Not applicable
Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:	Not applicable
Vapor Pressure:	Not available
Vapor density:	Not applicable
Relative Density:	Not applicable
Solubility:	Not applicable
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:	Not applicable
Auto-ignition temperature:	Not applicable
Decomposition temperature:	Not applicable
Viscosity:	Not applicable
Explosive properties:	Not applicable
Oxidizing properties:	Not applicable

**9.2 Other Information:** Not applicable

## SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### 10.1 Reactivity

No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.

### 10.2 Chemical Stability

Chemically stable under recommended conditions of storage, handling and use.

### 10.3 Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

Under the normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

### 10.4 Conditions to Avoid, Including Static Discharge, Shock or Vibration

Not available.

### 10.5 Incompatible Materials

Strong oxidizing agents.

### 10.6 Hazardous Decomposition Products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### 11.1 Information on Toxicological Effects

Acute toxicity:	Not available
Skin corrosion/irritation:	Not available
Serious eye damage/irritation:	Not available
Respiratory or skin sensitization:	Not available
Germ cell mutagenicity:	Not available
Carcinogenicity:	Not available
Reproductive toxicity:	Not available
Summary of evaluation of the CMR properties:	Not available
STOT-single exposure:	Not available
STOT-repeated exposure:	Not available
Aspiration hazard:	Not available
Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics:	No specific data
Delayed and immediate effects, and chronic effects from short-term and long-term exposure:	Not available
Numerical measures of toxicity, including Acute Toxicity Estimates (ATEs):	Not available
Indication of whether the chemical is listed in the National Toxicology Program (NTP) Report on Carcinogens (latest edition) or has been found to be a potential carcinogen in the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC) Monographs (latest editions) or found to be a potential carcinogen by OSHA:	Not found
RTECS:	YX4000400

## SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

12.1 Toxicity:	Not available
12.2 Persistence and Degradability:	Not available
12.3 Bioaccumulative Potential:	Not available
12.4 Mobility in Soil:	Not available

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB Assessment:** Not applicable

**12.6 Other Adverse Effects:** No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### 13.1 Disposal Methods and Special Precautions for Product Disposal

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Disposal of this product, solutions and any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licenced waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction.

### 13.2 Disposal Methods for Packaging

The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized wherever possible. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible.

#### Special Precautions

This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

## SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

(ADR/RID, ADN, IMDG and ICAO, TDG&DOT Classification, IATA)

**14.1 UN Number:** Not regulated

**14.2 UN Proper Shipping Name:** Not applicable

**14.3 Transport Hazard Class:** Not applicable

**14.4 Packing Group:** Not applicable

**14.5 Environmental Hazards:** Not applicable

**14.6 Additional Information:** Not applicable

### 14.7 Special Precautions for User

Transport within user premises: Always transport in closed containers that are upright and secure. Ensure that persons transporting the product know what to do in the event of an accident or spillage.

**14.8 Transport in Bulk According to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code:** Not applicable

## SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### 15.1 Safety, Health and Environmental Regulations/Legislation Specific for the Substance or Mixture

#### Canada Regulations and Lists:

NPRI: No components listed

CEPA Toxic substances: No components listed

DSL/NDL: All components are listed or exempt



US Regulations and Lists:

TSCA:	All components are listed or exempt
SARA 302/304 and SARA 311/312	Not a subject to reporting requirements
Massachusetts	Sodium azide, CAS# 26628-22-8
New Jersey	Sodium azide, CAS# 26628-22-8; Snake venom Vipera russelli (Russell's Viper)
Pennsylvania	Sodium azide, CAS# 26628-22-8; Snake venom Vipera russelli (Russell's Viper)
California Prop. 65	No components listed

EU Regulations and Lists:

## EU Regulation (EC) No.1907/2006 (REACH):

- Annex XIV List of substances subject to authorisation No components listed
- Annex XVII Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixture and articles Not applicable

C&L Inventory, REACH # All components are listed or exempt.

**15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment**

No Chemical Safety Assessment has been carried out for this substance/mixture by the supplier.

**SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION****Full text of H-Statements Referred to Under Section 2**

H315: Causes skin irritation.  
H319: Causes serious eye irritation  
H335: May cause respiratory irritation  
H334: May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled

**Key literature References and Sources for Data**

This SDS was prepared on the basis of sheets of individual components and online databases (e.g. ECHA, RTECS) as well as our knowledge and experience, taking into account current legislation

**Procedure Used to Derive the Classification for Mixtures**

(EU) Classification for mixtures according to Regulation (EC) 1272/2008 [CLP]  
Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200 (HCS)  
Hazardous Product Regulation HPR (WHMIS 2015)

**Training Advice**

Provide workers with adequate training to assure that the product is handled safely in accordance with national and community legislation

## Abbreviations and Acronyms:

WHMIS=Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System  
GHS=Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
OSHA=Occupational Safety and Health Administration  
CLP= Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation [Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008]  
FDA=Food and Drug Administration  
STOT=Specific Target Organ Toxicity  
PBT=Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic  
vPvB= Very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative  
ADR=European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road  
RID=European Agreement Concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail  
ADN=International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways  
IMDG=International Maritime Dangerous Goods  
ICAO= International Civil Aviation Organization  
TDG=Transportation of Dangerous Goods Act  
DOT=Department of Transportation  
UN=United Nations  
IATA=International Air Transport Association  
NPRI=National Pollutant Release Inventory  
CEPA=Canadian Environmental Protection Act  
DSL=Canada Domestic Substances List  
NDSL= Canada Non-Domestic Substances List  
TSCA=Toxic Substances Control Act  
SARA=Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act  
DEA Lists=United States Drug Enforcement Administration Lists  
EPA=United States Environmental Protection Agency  
REACH=Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals  
ECHA=European Chemical Agency  
RTECS=Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances

## Notice to Reader:

To the best of our knowledge, the information contained herein is accurate. However, neither the above-named supplier, nor any of its subsidiaries, assumes any liability whatsoever for the accuracy or completeness of the information contained herein.

Final determination of suitability of any material is the sole responsibility of the user. All materials may present unknown hazards and should be used with caution. Although certain hazards are described herein, we cannot guarantee that these are the only hazards that exist.

## Preparation Information

Precision Biologic Inc.

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