

# SAFETY DATA SHEET

Cat# BN00828 Total Cholesterol and Cholesteryl Ester Colorimetric/Fluorometric Assay Kit

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## SECTION 1: PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

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**PRODUCT NAME:** Total Cholesterol and Cholesteryl Ester Colorimetric/Fluorometric Assay Kit

**PRODUCT CODES:** Cat# BN00828

**MANUFACTURER:** Assay Genie (brand of Reagent Genie Ltd.)

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## SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

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Component	Description	Volume	Safety Information
Cholesterol Assay Buffer	Proprietary Buffer	25 ml	No hazards
Cholesterol Probe (in DMSO, anhydrous)	In DMSO	200 µl	See below
Enzyme Mix (lyophilized)	Lyophilized	1 vial	No hazards
Cholesterol Esterase (lyophilized)	Lyophilized	1 vial	No hazards
Cholesterol Standard (2 µg/µl)	Liquid	100 µl	No hazards

**DMSO:**

**Emergency Overview**

**OSHA Hazards:** Combustible liquid, Target organ effect

**Target Organs:** Eyes, Skin

**GHS Classification:** Flammable liquids (Category 4)

**GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements**

**Pictogram:** none

**Signal word:** Warning

**Hazard statement(s):** H227 Combustible liquid

**Precautionary statement(s):** none

**HMIS Classification**

**Health hazard:** 0

**Chronic Health Hazard:** \*

**Flammability:** 2

**Physical hazards:** 0

**NFPA Rating**

**Health hazard:** 0

**Fire:** 2

**Reactivity Hazard:** 0

**Potential Health Effects**

**Inhalation:** May be harmful if inhaled. May cause respiratory tract irritation.

**Skin:** May be harmful if absorbed through skin. May cause skin irritation.

**Eyes:** May cause eye irritation.

**Ingestion:** May be harmful if swallowed.

**Aggravated Medical Condition:** Avoid contact w/DMSO solutions containing toxic materials or materials with unknown toxicological properties. DMSO is readily absorbed through skin and may carry such materials into the body.

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## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

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Component	CAS Number	EC-No.	MW	Chemical Formula
DMSO	67-68-5	200-664-3	78.13	C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>6</sub> OS

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## SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

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**General advice:** Consult a physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance. Move out of dangerous area.

**If inhaled:** If breathed in, move person into fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Consult a physician.

**In case of skin contact:** Wash off with soap and plenty of water. Consult a physician.

**In case of eye contact:** Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes and consult a physician.

**If swallowed:** Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. Consult a physician.

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## 5: FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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### DMSO:

**Suitable extinguishing media:** For small (incipient) fires, use media such as "alcohol" foam, dry chemical, or carbon dioxide. For large fires, apply water from as far as possible. Use very large quantities (flooding) of water applied as a mist or spray; solid streams of water may be ineffective. Cool all affected containers with flooding quantities of water.

**Special protective equipment for firefighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.

**Hazardous combustion products:** Hazardous combustion products formed under fire conditions – no data available.

**Further information:** Use water spray to cool unopened containers.

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## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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**Personal precautions:** Use personal protective equipment. Avoid breathing vapors, mist, or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Avoid breathing dust.

**Environmental precautions:** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Do not let product enter drains. Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

**Methods for cleaning up:** Soak up with inert absorbent material and dispose of as hazardous waste. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

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## SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

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### Precautions for safe handling

Avoid inhalation of vapor or mist. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

### Conditions for safe storage

Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place.

Recommended storage temperature: -20 °C

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## SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

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### DMSO:

Components	CAS-No.	Value	Control parameters	Basis
Dimethyl sulfoxide	67-68-5	TWA	250 ppm	USA. Workplace Environmental Exposure Levels (WEEL)

### Personal protective equipment

#### Respiratory protection

Where risk assessment shows air-purifying respirators are appropriate use a full-face respirator with multi-purpose combination (US) or type ABEK (EN 14387) respirator cartridges as a backup to engineering controls. If the respirator is the sole means of protection, use a full-face supplied air respirator. Use respirators and components tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or CEN (EU).

#### Hand protection

Handle with gloves. 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.

#### Eye protection

Tightly fitting safety goggles. Face shield (8-inch minimum). Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166(EU).

#### Skin and body protection

Complete suit protecting against chemicals. The type of protective equipment must be selected according to the concentration and amount of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

#### Hygiene measures

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

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## SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

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Property	DMSO
Appearance:	Clear liquid
pH:	No data available
Water Solubility:	Completely miscible
Other Solubility:	No data available
Boiling Point (°C):	189 °C (372 °F)
Melting Point (°C):	16-19 °C (61-66 °F)
Flash Point (°C):	87 °C (189 °F)
Ignition Temperature (°C):	301 °C (574 °F)

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Density:	1.1 g/ml
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## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

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Property	DMSO
Chemical stability:	Stable under recommended storage conditions
Conditions to avoid:	Heat, Flames, Sparks
Materials to avoid:	Acid chlorides, Phosphorus halides, Strong acids, Strong oxidizing agents, Strong reducing agents
Hazardous decomposition products:	Carbon oxides, sulfur oxides

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## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### DMSO:

**Acute toxicity:** LD50 Oral – rat – 14,500 mg/kg

LC50 Inhalation – rat – 4 h – 40250 ppm

LD50 Dermal – rabbit – >5,000 mg/kg

**Skin corrosion/irritation:** Skin – rabbit – no skin irritation – 4h

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation:** Eyes – rabbit – mild eye irritation

**Respiratory or skin sensitization:** no data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** Genotoxicity in vitro – mouse – lymphocyte: Cytogenetic analysis

Genotoxicity in vitro – mouse – lymphocyte: Mutation in mammalian somatic cells

Genotoxicity in vivo – rat – Intraperitoneal: Cytogenetic analysis

Genotoxicity in vivo – mouse – Intraperitoneal: DNA damage

**Carcinogenicity:** Carcinogenicity – rat – Oral□ Tumorigenic: equivocal tumorigenic agent by RTECS criteria. Skin and appendages: other: tumors.

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IARC: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by ACGIH.

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

OSHA: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

**Reproductive toxicity:** Reproductive toxicity – rat – Intraperitoneal□ Effects on fertility: abortion

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Reproductive toxicity – rat – Subcutaneous□ Effects on fertility: post-implantation mortality (e.g. dead and/or resorbed implants per total number of implants). Effects on fertility: litter size (e.g. # fetuses per litter; measured before birth)

Reproductive toxicity – mouse – Oral□ Effects on fertility: post-implantation mortality (e.g. reduction in number of implants per female; total number of implants per corpora lutea). Effects on embryo/fetus: Fetotoxicity (except death, e.g. stunted fetus). Specific developmental abnormalities: musculoskeletal system.

**Teratogenicity:** Developmental toxicity – mouse – Intraperitoneal: Effects on embryo/fetus: Fetotoxicity (except death, e.g. stunted fetus).

Specific developmental abnormalities: musculoskeletal system

**Specific target organ toxicity – single exposure (GHS):** no data available

**Specific target organ toxicity – repeated exposure (GHS):** no data available

**Aspiration hazard:** no data available

### **Potential Health Effects**

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**Signs and Symptoms of Exposure:** Effects due to ingestion may include: nausea, fatigue, and/or headache.

**Additional information:** RTECS: PV6210000

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## SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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### DMSO:

**Elimination information (persistence and degradability):** no data available

**Ecotoxicity effects:** Toxicity to fish: LC50 - Pimephales promelas (fathead minnow) - 34,000 mg/l - 96 h

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LC50 - Oncorhynchus mykiss (rainbow trout) - 35,000 mg/l - 96 h

Toxicity to daphnia and other aquatic invertebrates: EC50 - Daphnia pulex (Water flea) - 27,500 mg/l

Toxicity to algae: EC50 - Lepomis macrochirus (Bluegill) - > 400,000 mg/l - 96 h

**Further information on ecology:** no data available

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### SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

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**Product:** Observe all federal, state, and local environmental regulations.

**Contaminated packaging:** Dispose of as unused product.

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### SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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**DMSO:**

**DOT (US):** UN-Number: 1993 Class: CBL Packing group: III; Proper shipping name: Combustible liquid, n.o.s. (Dimethyl sulfoxide); Marine pollutant: No; Poison Inhalation Hazard: No

**IMDG:** Not dangerous goods.

**IATA:** Not dangerous goods.

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### SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

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**OSHA Hazards:** Combustible liquid, Target organ effect

**SARA 302 Components:** SARA 302: No chemical in this material are subject to the reporting requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

**SARA 313 Components:** SARA 313: This material does not contain any chemical components with known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title II, Section 313.

**SARA 311/312 Hazards:** Fire Hazard, Chronic Health Hazard

**Massachusetts Right To Know Components:** No components are subject to the Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

**Pennsylvania Right To Know Components:** Dimethyl sulfoxide CAS-No. 67-68-5; Revision Date: 2007-03-01

**New Jersey Right To Know Components:** Dimethyl sulfoxide CAS-No. 67-68-5; Revision Date: 2007-03-01

**California Prop. 65 Components:** This product does not contain any chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or any other reproductive harm.

**EU regulations**

Component	Risk Phrases	Safety Phrases
DMSO	R10, R36/37/38	S24/25, S36/37/39, S45

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### SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

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**DISCLAIMER:**

The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. The information in this document is based on the present state of our knowledge and is applicable to the product with regard to appropriate safety precautions. It does not represent any guarantee of the properties of the product. Assay Genie shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product. See reverse side of invoice or packing slip for additional terms and conditions of sale.