

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



BL21-Gold Competent Cells, Part Number 230130

## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

### 1.1 Product identifier

**Product name** : BL21-Gold Competent Cells, Part Number 230130  
**Part No. (Kit)** : 230130  
**Part No.** : BL21-Gold competent cells 230130-41  
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid 200231-42

### 1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Identified uses	
Analytical reagent.	
BL21-Gold competent cells	1 mL (10 x 0.1 mL)
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	0.01 mL (0.1 ng/µl)

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

Agilent Technologies Manufacturing GmbH & Co. KG  
Hewlett-Packard-Str. 8  
76337 Waldbronn  
Germany  
0800 603 1000

**e-mail address of person responsible for this SDS** : pdl-msds\_author@agilent.com

### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

**Emergency telephone number (with hours of operation)** : CHEMTREC®: +(44)-870-8200418

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

**Product definition** : BL21-Gold competent cells Mixture  
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid Mixture

#### Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP/GHS]

Not classified.

See Section 16 for the full text of the H statements declared above.

See Section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

### 2.2 Label elements

**Signal word** : BL21-Gold competent cells No signal word.  
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid No signal word.

**Hazard statements** : BL21-Gold competent cells No known significant effects or critical hazards.  
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid No known significant effects or critical hazards.

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## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### Precautionary statements

<b>Prevention</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.
<b>Response</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.
<b>Storage</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.
<b>Disposal</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.
<b>Supplemental label elements</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.
<b>Annex XVII - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.

### Special packaging requirements

<b>Tactile warning of danger</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.
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### 2.3 Other hazards

<b>Other hazards which do not result in classification</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	None known. None known.
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## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

**3.2 Mixtures** : BL21-Gold competent cells Mixture  
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid Mixture

Product/ingredient name	Identifiers	%	Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]	Type
<b>BL21-Gold competent cells</b> Glycerol	EC: 200-289-5 CAS: 56-81-5	≥10 - ≤25	Not classified.	[2]
Sucrose	EC: 200-334-9 CAS: 57-50-1	≤10	Not classified.	[2]

There are no additional ingredients present which, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, are classified as hazardous to health or the environment and hence require reporting in this section.

Type

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

- [1] Substance classified with a health or environmental hazard  
 [2] Substance with a workplace exposure limit  
 [3] Substance meets the criteria for PBT according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, Annex XIII  
 [4] Substance meets the criteria for vPvB according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006, Annex XIII  
 [5] Substance of equivalent concern

## SECTION 4: First aid measures

### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

<b>Eye contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Get medical attention if irritation occurs.
<b>Inhalation</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Skin contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove contaminated clothing and shoes. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Ingestion</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Wash out mouth with water. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Wash out mouth with water. Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.
<b>Protection of first-aiders</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.

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

#### Potential acute health effects

<b>Eye contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Inhalation</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Skin contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.

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<b>Ingestion</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No known significant effects or critical hazards.
	Plasmid	

**Over-exposure signs/symptoms**

<b>Eye contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No specific data.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No specific data.
	Plasmid	
<b>Inhalation</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No specific data.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No specific data.
	Plasmid	
<b>Skin contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No specific data.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No specific data.
	Plasmid	
<b>Ingestion</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No specific data.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No specific data.
	Plasmid	

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

<b>Notes to physician</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	Treat symptomatically. Contact poison treatment specialist immediately if large quantities have been ingested or inhaled.
	Plasmid	
<b>Specific treatments</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No specific treatment.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No specific treatment.
	Plasmid	

**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures****5.1 Extinguishing media**

<b>Suitable extinguishing media</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.
	Plasmid	
<b>Unsuitable extinguishing media</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	None known.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	None known.
	Plasmid	

**5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

<b>Hazards from the substance or mixture</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.
	pUC 18 DNA Control	In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the container may burst.
	Plasmid	
<b>Hazardous combustion products</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Decomposition products may include the following materials:
		carbon dioxide
		carbon monoxide
		sulfur oxides
		halogenated compounds
		metal oxide/oxides
	pUC 18 DNA Control	No specific data.
	Plasmid	

**5.3 Advice for firefighters**

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**SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

<b>Special precautions for fire-fighters</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training.
<b>Special protective equipment for fire-fighters</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode. Clothing for fire-fighters (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) conforming to European standard EN 469 will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode. Clothing for fire-fighters (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) conforming to European standard EN 469 will provide a basic level of protection for chemical incidents.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

<b>For non-emergency personnel</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable training. Evacuate surrounding areas. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Put on appropriate personal protective equipment.
<b>For emergency responders</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	If specialised clothing is required to deal with the spillage, take note of any information in Section 8 on suitable and unsuitable materials. See also the information in "For non-emergency personnel".

**6.2 Environmental precautions**

:	BL21-Gold competent cells	Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant authorities if the product has caused environmental pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

**6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

<b>Methods for cleaning up</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area. Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

## SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

**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

<b>Protective measures</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8). Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section 8).
<b>Advice on general occupational hygiene</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells  pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Potentially biohazardous material. Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures. Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Remove contaminated clothing and protective equipment before entering eating areas. See also Section 8 for additional information on hygiene measures.

### 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

<b>Storage</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells  pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabelled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination. Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see Section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not store in unlabelled containers. Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental contamination.
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### 7.3 Specific end use(s)

<b>Recommendations</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Industrial applications, Professional applications. Industrial applications, Professional applications.
<b>Industrial sector specific solutions</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable. Not applicable.

## SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

### 8.1 Control parameters

#### Occupational exposure limits

Product/ingredient name	Exposure limit values
<b>BL21-Gold competent cells</b>	<b>EH40/2005 WELs (United Kingdom (UK), 12/2011).</b> TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hours. Form: Mist <b>EH40/2005 WELs (United Kingdom (UK), 12/2011).</b> STEL: 20 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 15 minutes. TWA: 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> 8 hours.
Glycerol	
Sucrose	

**Recommended monitoring procedures** : If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, personal, workplace atmosphere or biological monitoring may be required to determine the effectiveness of the ventilation or other control measures and/or the necessity to use respiratory protective equipment. Reference should be made to monitoring standards, such as the following: European Standard EN 689 (Workplace atmospheres - Guidance for the assessment of exposure by inhalation to chemical agents for comparison with limit values and measurement strategy) European Standard EN 14042 (Workplace atmospheres - Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents) European Standard EN 482 (Workplace atmospheres - General requirements for the performance of procedures for the measurement of chemical agents) Reference to national guidance documents for methods for the determination of hazardous substances will also be required.

#### DNELs/DMELs

No DNELs/DMELs available.

#### PNECs

No PNECs available

### 8.2 Exposure controls

**Appropriate engineering controls** : Good general ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants.

#### Individual protection measures

**Hygiene measures** : Handle as biohazard material (Biosafety level 1). Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to the workstation location.

**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

**Hand protection** : Chemical-resistant, impervious gloves complying with an approved standard should be worn at all times when handling chemical products if a risk assessment indicates this is necessary.

**Body protection** : Personal protective equipment for the body should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

**Other skin protection** : Appropriate footwear and any additional skin protection measures should be selected based on the task being performed and the risks involved and should be approved by a specialist before handling this product.

**Respiratory protection** : Based on the hazard and potential for exposure, select a respirator that meets the appropriate standard or certification. Respirators must be used according to a respiratory protection program to ensure proper fitting, training, and other important aspects of use.

**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

**Environmental exposure controls** : Emissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**Appearance

<b>Physical state</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Liquid.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Liquid.
<b>Colour</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.
<b>Odour</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.
<b>Odour threshold</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.
<b>pH</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	6.4
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	7.5
<b>Melting point/freezing point</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	0°C
<b>Initial boiling point and boiling range</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	100°C
<b>Flash point</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not applicable.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not applicable.
<b>Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.
<b>Vapour pressure</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells	Not available.
	pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available.



**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

<b>Vapour density</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Relative density</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water and hot water. Easily soluble in the following materials: cold water and hot water.
<b>Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Auto-ignition temperature</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Viscosity</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Explosive properties</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.
<b>Oxidising properties</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Not available. Not available.

**9.2 Other information**

No additional information.

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

<b>10.1 Reactivity</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients. No specific test data related to reactivity available for this product or its ingredients.
<b>10.2 Chemical stability</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	The product is stable. The product is stable.
<b>10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur. Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous reactions will not occur.

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

<b>10.4 Conditions to avoid</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No specific data.  No specific data.
<b>10.5 Incompatible materials</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	May react or be incompatible with oxidising materials.  May react or be incompatible with oxidising materials.
<b>10.6 Hazardous decomposition products</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced. 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.

#### Acute toxicity estimates

Not available.

#### Irritation/Corrosion

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

#### Sensitiser

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)

Not available.

#### Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)

Not available.

#### Aspiration hazard

Not available.

<b>Information on likely routes of exposure</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	Routes of entry anticipated: Oral, Dermal, Inhalation.  Not available.
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#### Potential acute health effects

<b>Inhalation</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.  No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Ingestion</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.  No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Skin contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.  No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Eye contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards.  No known significant effects or critical hazards.

#### Symptoms related to the physical, chemical and toxicological characteristics

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

<b>Inhalation</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No specific data. No specific data.
<b>Ingestion</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No specific data. No specific data.
<b>Skin contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No specific data. No specific data.
<b>Eye contact</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No specific data. No specific data.

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure****Short term exposure**

**Potential immediate effects** : Not available.

**Potential delayed effects** : Not available.

**Long term exposure**

**Potential immediate effects** : Not available.

**Potential delayed effects** : Not available.

**Potential chronic health effects**

<b>General</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Mutagenicity</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Teratogenicity</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Developmental effects</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards.
<b>Fertility effects</b>	: BL21-Gold competent cells pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid	No known significant effects or critical hazards. No known significant effects or critical hazards.

## SECTION 12: Ecological information

### 12.1 Toxicity

**Conclusion/Summary** : Not available.

### 12.2 Persistence and degradability

Not available.

### 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

Not available.

### 12.4 Mobility in soil

**Soil/water partition coefficient (K<sub>oc</sub>)** : Not available.

**Mobility** : Not available.

### 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

**PBT** : Not applicable.

**vPvB** : Not applicable.

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

## SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

### 13.1 Waste treatment methods

#### Product

**Methods of disposal** : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised 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 licensed waste disposal contractor. Waste should not be disposed of untreated to the sewer unless fully compliant with the requirements of all authorities with jurisdiction.

**Hazardous waste** : Within the present knowledge of the supplier, this product is not regarded as hazardous waste, as defined by EU Directive 2008/98/EC.

#### Packaging

**Methods of disposal** : The generation of waste should be avoided or minimised wherever possible. Waste packaging should be recycled. 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 spilt material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains and sewers.

## SECTION 14: Transport information

### Regulatory information

**ADR/RID / IMDG / IATA** : Not regulated.

**14.6 Special precautions for user** : **Transport within user's 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.

**14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code** : Not available.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

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

##### Annex XIV - List of substances subject to authorisation

###### Annex XIV

None of the components are listed.

###### Substances of very high concern

None of the components are listed.

**Annex XVII - Restrictions on the manufacture, placing on the market and use of certain dangerous substances, mixtures and articles** : BL21-Gold competent cells Not applicable.  
pUC 18 DNA Control Plasmid Not applicable.

#### Other EU regulations

**Europe inventory** : All components are listed or exempted.

**Industrial emissions (integrated pollution prevention and control) - Air** : Listed

##### Ozone depleting substances (1005/2009/EU)

Not listed.

##### Prior Informed Consent (PIC) (649/2012/EU)

Not listed.

##### Seveso Directive

This product is not controlled under the Seveso Directive.

#### International regulations

##### Chemical Weapon Convention List Schedules I, II & III Chemicals

Not listed.

##### Montreal Protocol (Annexes A, B, C, E)

Not listed.

##### Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants

Not listed.

##### Rotterdam Convention on Prior Informed Consent (PIC)

Not listed.

##### UNECE Aarhus Protocol on POPs and Heavy Metals

Not listed.

#### International lists

##### National inventory

**Australia** : All components are listed or exempted.  
**Canada** : All components are listed or exempted.  
**China** : Not determined.  
**Japan** : **Japan inventory (ENCS)**: Not determined.  
**Japan inventory (ISHL)**: Not determined.  
**Malaysia** : Not determined.  
**New Zealand** : Not determined.  
**Philippines** : Not determined.  
**Republic of Korea** : All components are listed or exempted.  
**Taiwan** : All components are listed or exempted.

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- Turkey** : Not determined.  
**United States** : All components are listed or exempted.

**15.2 Chemical safety assessment** : This product contains substances for which Chemical Safety Assessments might still be required.

## SECTION 16: Other information

✔ Indicates information that has changed from previously issued version.

**Abbreviations and acronyms** : ATE = Acute Toxicity Estimate  
 CLP = Classification, Labelling and Packaging Regulation [Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008]  
 DNEL = Derived No Effect Level  
 EUH statement = CLP-specific Hazard statement  
 PNEC = Predicted No Effect Concentration  
 RRN = REACH Registration Number

### Procedure used to derive the classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP/GHS]

Classification	Justification
Not classified.	

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