

MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

PureSperm[®] Wash

1.0 Identification of the Substance/Preparation and of the Company/Undertaking

Product Name: **PureSperm[®] Wash**
Product Catalogue No: **PSW-020 and PSW-100.**

Sterile isotonic salt solution containing human serum albumin. It is optimised for washing the sperm pellet recovered from density gradient preparation, for use in swim-up procedures, extension of sperm prior to IUI or as a maintenance medium. 20 mL and 100 mL quantities in borosilicate glass bottles, with silicone stoppers and tamper-evident seals.

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2.0 Composition/Information on Ingredients

Hazardous ingredients: None established, no ingredients listed as carcinogens. Consists of a physiological salt solution.

3.0 Hazard Identification

Physical hazards:	None established.
Human health effects and symptoms of acute exposure:	None established.
Human health effects and chronic exposure:	None established.

4.0 First-Aid Measures

If inhaled:	Remove from exposure. Transfer person to fresh air. If discomfort persists, obtain medical attention.
In case of skin contact:	Wash off with an abundance of water.
In case of eye contact:	Flush thoroughly with physiological saline for 15 minutes. If discomfort persists, obtain medical attention.
If swallowed:	Rinse mouth with water and give water to drink. Never give water to unconscious person. No medical attention should be necessary.

5.0 Fire-Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media:	Carbon dioxide, dry chemicals or foam.
Special fire or explosion hazards:	Not applicable.
Products of combustion:	Not applicable.
Special exposure hazards:	Not applicable.
Protective equipment for fire fighters:	Use correct equipment applicable to primary cause of fire.

6.0 Accidental Release/Spill Measures

Personal Precautions:	Not applicable.
Environmental Precautions:	Not applicable.
Clean-Up Methods:	Wipe up using appropriate absorbent material and dispose with normal laboratory refuse, according to community, state or federal regulations.

7.0 Handling and Storage

Incompatible materials:	Not applicable.
Storage conditions:	Store at room temperature or refrigerated +2° to +8°C.
Handling Recommendation:	Not applicable.
Handling Precautions:	Avoid inhaling, ingestion, and contact with eyes and skin.

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8.0 Exposure Control/Personal Protection

Exposure limit:	Not established.
Ventilation requirements:	Normal ventilation.
Respiratory protection:	If dried down to powder form, use face mask when handling large quantities.
Eye protection:	Not applicable.
Skin protection:	Not applicable.

9.0 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance: Transparent liquid.	Upper flammable limits (%): Not applicable.
Odour: Odourless .	Lower flammable limit (%): Not applicable.
Acid/Base: pH 7.5-8.5 (neutral)	Autoflammability (°C): Not applicable.
Viscosity: Physiological salt solution.	Vapour Pressure: Not applicable.
Freezing/Melting point: Approx. 0°C	Relative Density (water =1): Approx. 1.0
Boiling Point: Approx. 100°C	Solubility in water: Already water solution.
Flash Point: Not applicable.	Percent Volatility: Not applicable.
Osmolality: 290-300 mOsm.	Aqueous salt solution – physiological saline.

10.0 Stability and Reactivity

Stability under normal conditions:	Stable
Explosive Properties:	Not applicable
Hazardous Decomposition:	Not applicable
Hazardous polymerization:	Will not occur.
Incompatible Materials to avoid:	None known

11.0 Toxicological Information

Toxicity Information:	Product is essentially inert. No toxic or ill effects under normal operating conditions
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12.0 Ecological Information

Environmental Impact:	No known adverse ecological effects
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13.0 Disposal Considerations

Waste Disposal:	According to applicable regulations for aqueous, physiological salt solutions, i.e., open container and flush contents with tap water via a drain into the sewage system according to local community, state or federal regulations. The glass bottles and paper cartons can be recycled without adverse problems in the recycling system for glass and paper, respectively.
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14.0 Transport Information

Transport Information:	Non-regulated transport. Non-dangerous goods.
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15.0 Regulatory Information

Certified according to SS-EN ISO 9001 and SS-EN ISO 13485.

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