

Safety Data Sheet

1. Product and Company Identification

1.1 Product Identifier

Product code:	ATF02
Product name:	Rheumatoid Factor Antigen
CAS number	Not relevant
Product of human origin:	Yes

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

Relevant identified uses:	For research use or further manufacturing use only.
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1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name:	AROTEC Diagnostics Limited
Address:	207 Gracefield Road, Lower Hutt 5010, New Zealand
Telephone/Fax:	Telephone: +64-4-5690361, Fax: +64-4-5690366
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1.4 Emergency telephone

0800-764-766 (NZ); for international world directory of poison centres with local phone numbers refer:
http://www.who.int/gho/phe/chemical_safety/poisons_centres/en/#.VERM5zTweO4.email

2. Hazards Identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Not a hazardous substance or mixture

2.2 Label Elements

Not a hazardous substance or mixture

Signal Word	Not required
Pictograms	Not required
Hazard Statements	Not required
Precautionary Statements	Not required

2.3 Other hazards

PBT and vPvB assessment	The mixture does not contain substances assessed as PBT or vPvB in accordance with Annex XIII of REACH
Endocrine disrupting properties	Does not contain an endocrine disruptor

3. Composition/Information on Ingredients

3.1 Substances

Not relevant (mixture).

3.2 Mixtures

Products of human origin may contain agents which pose a potential biological hazard to humans. The source materials (blood from consenting donors) were tested and found to be negative Hep B surface antigen, anti-Hep C virus antibodies, anti-HIV type I antibodies, anti-HIV type II antibodies, HIV RNA, HCV RNA and syphilis. No test method can provide complete assurance that infectious agents are absent, therefore all products of human origin should be handled as if they are potentially infectious.

The mixture does not contain substances which are classified as hazardous to health or the environment above the concentration limits requiring disclosure.

4. First Aid Measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General advice:	Consult a physician, show this Safety Data Sheet to the doctor in attendance
Eye contact:	Flush immediately with plenty of water then consult a physician
Skin contact:	Remove contaminated clothing and shoes immediately, wash with soap and plenty of water
Inhalation:	Move into a fresh air environment
Ingestion:	Do <u>not</u> induce vomiting, rinse mouth with water, consult a physician

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

This information is not available

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

This information is not available

5. Fire-Fighting Measures

5.1 Extinguishing Media

Suitable extinguishing media: Water spray, alcohol resistant foam, fire extinguishing powder, carbon dioxide (CO₂), use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to the surrounding environment

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous combustion products: None known

5.3 Advice for firefighters

Precautions for fire-fighters: Non-combustible.
Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if necessary.
Coordinate firefighting measures the fire surrounds.
Do not allow firefighting water to enter drains or water courses.
Collect contaminated firefighting water separately.

6. Accidental Release Measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment, and emergency procedures

Non-emergency personnel: Remove persons to safety, ensure adequate ventilation, wear suitable personal protective equipment to prevent skin, eyes or clothing contamination.

Emergency Responders: Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dust/spray/gases.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains and ground water.

Retain contaminated washing water and dispose of it.

If substance has entered a water course or sewer, inform the responsible authority

6.3 Methods & material for containment and cleaning up

Spill clean-up: Collect spill (absorbent materials) and transfer to a suitable container. Ventilate the area

Containment: Use of absorbent materials.

7. Handling and Storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Measures to prevent fire, aerosol and dust generation:

Use local and general ventilation.

No specific notes / details available

Notes on general hygiene:

Do not eat, drink, smoke in work areas, wash hands after use, use of a skin barrier is recommended.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage including safe storage

Flammability hazard: None

Incompatibility: See section 10

Other advice: Keep away from food, drink and animal feed.

Ventilation: Provide sufficient ventilation

Storage vessels: Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, contained place

Packaging: Keep only in original container

7.3 Specific end uses

No information available

8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

8.1 Control Parameters

Exposure standards: Products do not contain any hazardous materials with workplace exposure limits

8.2 Exposure Controls

Engineering controls: Emergency showers, eyewash stations, ventilation systems

Environmental exposure: Use an appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination

Personal protection

Eye/face: Safety glasses recommended

Skin/body: Handle with gloves, wear suitable clothing such as a lab coat

Respiratory: Respiratory protection is not normally needed when using these products; use a particle respirator for nuisance exposure or when in an area with inadequate ventilation

9. Physical and Chemical Properties

9.1 Basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance: Clear, colourless liquid/frozen liquid

Odour: No information available

pH: 7.5

Vapour pressure: No information available

Vapour density: No information available

Boiling point: No information available

Freezing point: No information available

Solubility: No information available

Specific gravity: No information available

Flammability: Not combustible

9.2 Other Information

Physical hazard class: Not relevant

Other characteristics: No additional information

10. Stability and Reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

Stable under ambient conditions

10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under anticipated storage and handling conditions

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

None known

10.4 Conditions to avoid

There are no specific conditions known which have to be avoided

10.5 Incompatible materials

There is no additional information

10.6 Hazardous decomposition

Reasonably anticipated hazardous decomposition products are not known.

11. Toxicological Information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Classification based on the ingredients of the mixture, and according to GHS.

Acute toxicity: Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.

Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.

Serious eye damage/irritation: Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.

Respiratory or skin sensitisation:	Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.
Germ cell mutagenicity:	Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.
Carcinogenicity:	Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.
Reproductive toxicity	Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.
Specific target organ toxicity: (single and repeated exposure)	Based on available data, the mixture does not meet the criteria for classification under CLP.
Aspiration hazard:	No aspiration hazard

11.2 Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties Does not contain an endocrine disruptor (EDC) in a concentration of $\geq 0.1\%$.

12. Ecological Information

12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity

Classification based on the ingredients of the mixture, and according to GHS.
No information available on the complete mixture.

12.2 Persistence and degradability

Classification based on the ingredients of the mixture, and according to GHS.
No information available on the complete mixture.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

12.4 Mobility in soil

No data available

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Does not contain a PBT or vPvB substance in a concentration $\geq 0.1\%$.

12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties

Does not contain an endocrine disruptor (EDC) in a concentration of $\geq 0.1\%$.

13. Disposal Considerations

13.1 Waste treatment methods

Disposal methods:	Dispose of material as hazardous waste.
Sewage Disposal:	Do not empty into drains
Contaminated packaging:	Completely emptied packages can be recycled.

14. Transport Information

14.1 UN number:	Not assigned
14.2 Proper shipping name:	Not regulated by DOT, IATA, ADR, TDG, IMDG
14.3 Transport hazard class:	Not assigned
14.4 Packing group:	Not assigned
14.5 Environmental hazards:	Not assigned
14.6 Special precautions for user:	Not assigned
14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments:	Not assigned

15. Regulatory Information

15.1 Safety health / environment regulations / legislation specific for the substance or the mixture Relevant

This Safety Data Sheet complies with the Commission Regulation (EU) 2020/878.

15.2 Chemical Safety Assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been completed

16. Other Information

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