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

1.1 Product identifier

Trade name: Paraplast X-TRA® for histology

Article number: X882
Registration number

A registration number is not available for this substance as the substance or its use are exempted from registration according to Article 2 REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006, the annual tonnage does not require a registration or the registration is envisaged for a later registration deadline.

Mixture - Registration numbers of the components, see Chapter 3

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

Application of the substance / the mixture

Laboratory chemical

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer/Supplier:

Carl Roth GmbH + Co. KG Schoemperlenstraße 3-5 76185 Karlsruhe

Germany

Telefon: +49/(0)721 5606-0 Telefax: +49/(0)721 5606-149 E-Mail: sicherheit@carlroth.de

Further information obtainable from: Department Health, Safety and Environment

1.4 Emergency telephone number:

Poison Centre Munich Telefon +49/(0)89 19240

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

The product is not classified according to the CLP regulation.

Classification according to Directive 67/548/EEC or Directive 1999/45/EC Void

2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Void

Hazard pictograms Void

Signal word Void

Hazard statements Void

2.3 Other hazards

All chemicals are potentially dangerous. They are therefore only be handled by specially trained personnel with the necessary care.

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable. **vPvB:** Not applicable.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Chemical characterisation: Mixtures

Description: Mixture of substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

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Dangerous components:		
CAS: 8002-74-2 Paraffin waxes and Hydrocarbon waxes EINECS: 232-315-6 substance with a Community workplace exposure limit		50-100%
CAS: 128-37-0 EINECS: 204-881-4 Xn R22; Xi R36/38 R53 Acute Tox. 4, H302; Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2, H319; Aqu		1-≤2.5%

Additional information: For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures



4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information:

No special measures required.

After inhalation:

Supply fresh air; if there is any trouble seek medical help.

After skin contact:

Rinse with water

Seek medical treatment in case of complaints.

After eye contact:

To be sure rinse opened eye under running water. If there is any trouble seek medical help.

After swallowing:

Rinse out mouth and drink a glass of water. Do not induce vomiting.

Seek medical treatment in case of complaints.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Gastric or intestinal disorders

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents:

Use fire extinguishing methods suitable to surrounding conditions.

CO2, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents:

For this substance/mixture no limitations of extinguishing agents are given.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

In the event of fire development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible.

In case of fire, the following can be released:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

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5.3 Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained respiratory protective device.

Wear fully protective suit.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Particular danger of slipping on leaked/spilled product.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter sewers/ground water or penetrate the soil.

6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Pick up mechanically.

Dispose of the material collected according to regulations.

6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling.

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for disposal information.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1 Precautions for safe handling

No special precautions are necessary if used correctly.

Information about fire - and explosion protection:

No special measures required.

7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage:

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles:

Store only in the original receptacle.

Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Store away from foodstuffs.

Further information about storage conditions:

Store in dry conditions.

Store in a cool place.

7.3 Specific end use(s)

No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

Additional information about design of technical facilities:

No further data; see item 7.

8.1 Control parameters

Ingredients with	limit values that	t require monitoring	at the workplace.
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8002-74-2 Paraffin waxes and Hydrocarbon waxes

WEL (Great Britain) Short-term value: 6 mg/m³

Long-term value: 2 mg/m³

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128-37-0 2,6-di-tert-butyl-p-cresol

WEL (Great Britain) Long-term value: 10 mg/m³

Additional information:

The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

8.2 Exposure controls

Personal protective equipment:

General protective and hygienic measures:

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and feed. Wash hands before breaks and at the end of work. Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Individual protection measures

Protective clothing needs to be selected specifically for the workplace, depending on concentrations and quantities of the hazardous substances handled. The chemical resistance of the protective equipment should be enquired at the respective supplier.

Respiratory protection:



Particle filter required when dusts are generated.

Protection of hands:



Protective gloves

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation. Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

Material of gloves

Nitrile, thickness: ≥ 0.11 mm

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

Penetration time of glove material

Value for the permeation: Level ≥ 6

The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable:

Nitrile rubber, thickness: ≥ 0.11 mm Value for the permeation: Level ≥ 6

Eye protection:



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Tightly sealed goggles **Body protection:**Protective work clothing

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties

General Information

Appearance:

Form: Solid Colour: Transparent Odour: Odourless

Odour threshold: No information available.

pH-value: No information available.

Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: 50-54 °C

Boiling point/Boiling range: No information available.

Flash point: 204 °C

Flammability (solid, gaseous): Product is not flammable.

Ignition temperature: 245 °C

Decomposition temperature: No information available

Self-igniting: Product is not self-igniting.

Danger of explosion: Product does not present an explosion hazard.

Explosion limits:

Lower:No information available.Upper:No information available.Oxidizing properties:No information available.

Vapour pressure: Not applicable.

Density: No information available.

Vapour densityNot applicable.Evaporation rateNot applicable.

Solubility in / Miscibility with

water: Not miscible or difficult to mix.

Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): No information available

Viscosity:

Dynamic: No information available. **Kinematic:** No information available.

9.2 Other information No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1 Reactivity

No information available

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10.2 Chemical stability

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:

No decomposition if used and stored according to specifications.

10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions

No information available.

10.4 Conditions to avoid

No information available.

10.5 Incompatible materials:

No information available.

10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:

In case of fire: see item 5.

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1 Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity:

LD/LC50 values relevant for classification:

	8002-74-2 Paraffin waxes and Hydrocarbon waxes	
	Oral LD₅₀ >5000 mg/kg (rat)	
	128-37-0 2,6-di-tert-butyl-p-cresol	
Ī	Oral LD ₅₀ 890 mg/kg (rat) (TOXNET)	

Specific symptoms in biological assay:

Eye irritation test (rabbit): slight irritations. Skin irritation test (rabbit): slight irritations.

Primary irritant effect:

on the skin:

No information available.

on the eye:

No information available.

after inhalation:

No information available.

Sensitisation:

No sensitising effects known.

CMR effects:

Germ cell mutagenicity:

No information available.

Carcinogenicity:

No information available.

Reproductive toxicity:

No information available.

Aspiration hazard:

No information available.

Specific target organ toxicity - single exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, single exposure.

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Specific target organ toxicity - repeated exposure

The substance or mixture is not classified as specific target organ toxicant, repeated exposure.

Additional toxicological information:

After swallowing large quantities:

Diarrhoea

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects to our experience and the information provided to us.

Further information:

The product should be handled with the care usual when dealing with chemicals.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1 Toxicity

Aquatic toxicity:

Fish toxicity:

128-37-0 2,6-di-tert-butyl-p-cresol

LC₅₀ 5.3 mg/l/48 h (Oryzias latipes) (IUCLID)

Daphnia toxicity:

128-37-0 2,6-di-tert-butyl-p-cresol

EC50 1.44 mg/l/48 h (Daphnia pulex)

12.2 Persistence and degradability

No further relevant information available.

12.3 Bioaccumulative potential

No further relevant information available.

12.4 Mobility in soil

No further relevant information available.

Ecotoxical effects:

Remark:

Do not allow to enter waters, waste water, or soil!

12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT: Not applicable. **vPvB:** Not applicable.

12.6 Other adverse effects

No further relevant information available.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

Waste treatment methods

Recommendation

The disposal is regionally differently regulated, therefore the kind of disposal is to be inquired at the responsible authorities.

Uncleaned packaging:

Recommendation:

Disposal according to official regulations.

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SECTION 14: Transport information			
14.1 UN-Number			
ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void		
14.2 UN proper shipping name			
ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void		
14.3 Transport hazard class(es)			
ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA Class	Void		
14.4 Packing group			
ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void		
14.5 Environmental hazards:			
Marine pollutant:	No		
14.6 Special precautions for user	Not applicable.		
14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL73/78 and the IBC Code Not applicable.			
Transport/Additional information:			
ADR Remarks:	Not subject to transport regulations.		
UN "Model Regulation":	-		

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

National regulations:

Information about limitation of use: Employment restrictions concerning juveniles must be observed.

Breakdown regulations:

Waterhazard class:

Generally not hazardous for water (German regulation).

15.2 Chemical safety assessment

A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

Relevant phrases

H302 Harmful if swallowed.

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H413 May cause long lasting harmful effects to aquatic life.

R22 Harmful if swallowed.

R36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.

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May cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

Department issuing MSDS: Department: Health, Safety and Environment

Contact: Herr Heine

Abbreviations and acronyms:

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International

Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent LD50*: Lethal Dose, 50 percent (Not relevant for classification)

LD50*: Lethal Concentration, 50 percent (Not relevant for classification)

Acute Tox. 4: Acute toxicity, Hazard Category 4

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation, Hazard Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Hazard Category 2

Aquatic Chronic 4: Hazardous to the aquatic environment - Chronic Hazard, Category 4

* Data compared to the previous version altered.