

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

### 1.1 Product identifier

Product form : Mixture  
Product name : GM501 SpermStore  
Product code : 4 SCP-20

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

#### 1.2.1 Relevant identified uses

Industrial/Professional use spec : For professional use only.  
Use of the substance/mixture : GM501 SpermStore is a medium for freezing human sperm including epididymal or testicular sperm.

#### 1.2.2. Uses advised against

No additional information available.

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

Gynemed GmbH & Co. KG  
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Germany  
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### 1.4 Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +49 (0)4363 90 32 90

## SECTION 2: Hazards identification

### 2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]  
Not classified

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects  
No additional information available.

### 2.2 Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]  
No labelling applicable.

### 2.3 Other hazards

No additional information available.

## SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

### 3.1 Substance

Not applicable.

### 3.2 Mixture

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
<b>Ultrapure water</b>	(CAS No) 7732-18-5 (EC No) 231-791-2	70 - 90	Not classified
<b>Glycerol</b>	(CAS No) 56-81-5 (EC No) 200-289-5	10 - 20	Not classified
<b>Sucrose</b>	(CAS No) 57-50-1 (EC No) 200-334-9	1 - 5	Not classified
<b>Glycine</b>	(CAS No) 56-40-6 (EC No) 200-272-2	< 1	Not classified
<b>Sodium Chloride</b>	(CAS No) 7647-14-5 (EC No) 231-598-3	< 1	Not classified
<b>HEPES</b>	(CAS No) 7365-45-9 (EC No) 230-907-9	< 1	Not classified
<b>Human Serum Albumin</b>	(CAS No) 70024-90-7	< 1	Not classified
<b>Sodium Hydrogen Carbonate</b>	(CAS No) 144-55-8 (EC No) 205-633-8	< 1	Not classified
<b>Glucose monohydrate</b>	(CAS No) 14431-43-7	< 1	Not classified
<b>Calcium Lactate Pentahydrate</b>	(CAS No) 5743-47-5	< 1	Not classified
<b>Sodium Dihydrogen</b>	(CAS No) 13472-35-0	< 1	Not classified

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Phosphate Dihydrate			
Potassium Chloride	(CAS No) 7447-40-7 (EC No) 231-211-8	< 1	Not classified
Magnesium Sulphate Heptahydrate	(CAS No) 10034-99-8	< 1	Not classified
Comments	:	The media do not contain any raw materials of direct animal-origin or materials that have been produced using animal-origin components. Components have not been in contact with material of animal origin during processing and therefore pose no TSE risk.	

#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

##### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

- First-aid measures general : Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible).
- First-aid measures after inhalation : Assure fresh air breathing. Allow the victim to rest.
- First-aid measures after skin contact : Remove affected clothing and wash all exposed skin area with mild soap and water, followed by warm water rinse.
- First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Obtain medical attention if pain, blinking or redness persist.
- First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Obtain emergency medical attention.

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

- Symptoms/injuries : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

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

No additional information available.

#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

##### 5.1 Extinguishing media

- Suitable extinguishing media : Foam. Dry powder. Carbon dioxide. Water spray. Sand.
- Unsuitable extinguishing media : Do not use a heavy water stream.

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

No additional information available.

##### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

- Firefighting instructions : Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers. Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Prevent fire-fighting water from entering environment.
- Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

##### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

###### 6.1.1 For non-emergency personnel

- Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

###### 6.1.2 For emergency responders

- Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.
- Emergency procedures : Ventilate area.

##### 6.2 Environmental precautions

Prevent entry to sewers and public waters. Notify authorities if liquid enters sewers or public waters.

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

- Methods for cleaning up : Collect spillage. Store away from other materials.

##### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Heading 8. Exposure controls and personal protection.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

##### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Wash Hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Provide good ventilation in process area to prevent formation of vapour.

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

- Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use.  
Keep only in the original container away from direct (sun)light.  
Do not freeze.  
Do not use after expiry date.  
After opening the container, the product can be safely used up to 7 days when sterile conditions are maintained and the products are stored at 2 - 8 °C.

Incompatible products : Content cannot be resterilized after opening.  
 Incompatible materials : Strong bases. Strong acids.  
 Storage temperature : Sources of ignition. Direct (sun)light.  
 : 2 - 8°C

**7.3 Specific end use(s)**

See instruction for use delivered with the device.

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

**8.1 Control parameters**

No additional information available.

**8.2 Exposure controls**

Appropriate engineering controls : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety. Avoid all unnecessary exposure.

Personal protective equipment : Wear fire/flame resistant/retardant clothing.

Skin protection : Complete suit protecting against chemicals, flame retardant antistatic protective clothing. The type of protection must be selected according to the concentration and volume of the dangerous substance at the specific workplace.

Hand protection : Wear protective 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.  
 The selected protective gloves have to meet the specifications of regulation EU 2016/425 and the standard EN374.

Eye/Face protection : Face shield and safety glasses. Use equipment for eye protection tested and approved under appropriate government standards such as NIOSH (US) or EN 166 (EU).

Respiratory protection : Wear appropriate mask. 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).

Other information : Do not eat, drink or smoke during use. Do not pipette liquid using a mouth pipette.

**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

**9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state : Liquid

Colour : Colourless

Odour : Odourless

Odour threshold : No data available

pH : 7,20 – 7,90

Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1) : No data available

Melting point : No data available

Freezing point : No data available

Boiling point : No data available

Flash point : No data available

Auto-ignition temperature : No data available

Decomposition temperature : No data available

Flammability (solid, gas) : Non flammable

Vapour pressure : No data available

Relative vapour density at 20°C : No data available

Relative density : No data available

Solubility : No data available

Log Pow : No data available

Viscosity, kinematic : No data available

Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

Explosive properties : No data available

Oxidising properties : No data available

Explosive limits : No data available

**9.2 Other information**

No additional information available.

**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

**10.1 Reactivity**

No additional information available.

**10.2 Chemical stability**

Stable after transport (max. 5 days) at elevated temperature (≤ 37°C). Stable for 18 months from date of manufacture.

**10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Not established.

**10.4 Conditions to avoid**

Direct (sun)light. Extremely high or low temperatures.

**10.5 Incompatible materials**

Strong acids. Strong bases.

**10.6 Hazardous decomposition products**

Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

**11.1 Information on toxicological effects**

Acute toxicity (oral, dermal, inhalation)	:	Not classified. Extensive data on Sperm Survival Tests have demonstrated that the medium is not toxic.
Skin corrosion/irritation	:	Not classified
Serious eye damage/irritation	:	Not classified
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	:	Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	:	Not classified
Carcinogenicity	:	Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	:	Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	:	Not classified
Specific target organ toxicity (repeated exposure)	:	Not classified
Aspiration hazard	:	Not classified
Potential adverse human health effects and symptoms	:	Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Other information	:	Human Serum Albumin: The plasma which is the source of the human serum albumin is tested for antibodies to HIV and HCV and non-reactive for HbsAg, HBV RNA, HCV RNA, HIV-1 RNA and syphilis. The albumin agrees with all the requirements set forth by the European and United States health authority regarding safety.  Route of exposure: In normal use, there is no contact between SpermStore and the patient.

**SECTION 12: Ecological information**

**12.1 Toxicity**

Not classified.

**12.2 Persistence and degradability**

SpermStore

Persistence and degradability : Not established

**12.3 Bioaccumulative potential**

SpermStore

Bioaccumulative potential : Not established

**12.4 Mobility in soil**

No additional information available

**12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

No additional information available

**12.6 Other adverse effects**

Avoid release to environment

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

**13.1 Waste treatment methods**

Waste disposal recommendations	:	Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.
Ecology – waste materials	:	Avoid release to the environment.

**SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / RID / IMDG / IATA / ADN

**14.1 UN number**

Not regulated for transport

**14.2 UN proper shipping name**

Proper Shipping Name (ADR)	:	Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IMDG)	:	Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (IATA)	:	Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (ADN)	:	Not applicable
Proper Shipping Name (RID)	:	Not applicable

**14.3 Transport hazard class(es)**

Transport hazard class(es) (ADR)	:	Not applicable
Transport hazard class(es) (IMDG)	:	Not applicable

Transport hazard class(es) (IATA) : Not applicable  
 Transport hazard class(es) (ADN) : Not applicable  
 Transport hazard class(es) (RID) : Not applicable

#### 14.4 Packing group

Packing group (ADR) : Not applicable  
 Packing group (IMDG) : Not applicable  
 Packing group (IATA) : Not applicable  
 Packing group (ADN) : Not applicable  
 Packing group (RID) : Not applicable

#### 14.5 Environmental hazards

Dangerous for the environment : No  
 Marine pollutant : No  
 Other information : No supplementary information available

#### 14.6 Special precautions for user

Not applicable

#### 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

##### 15.1.1 EU-Regulations

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions.  
 Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list.  
 Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances.  
 Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.  
 Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants.

##### 15.1.2 National regulations

###### Germany

Water hazard class (WGK) : WGK 2, Significantly hazardous to water (Classification according to AwSV, Annex 1)  
 Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV) : Is not subject of the Hazardous Incident Ordinance (12. BImSchV)

###### Netherlands

SZW-list of carcinogenic substances : None of the components are listed.  
 SZW-list of mutagenic substances : None of the components are listed.  
 NON-exhaustive list of reproductive toxins - Breastfeeding : None of the components are listed.  
 NON-exhaustive list of reproductive toxins - Fertility : None of the components are listed.  
 NON-exhaustive list of reproductive toxins - Development : None of the components are listed.

#### 15.2 Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

Data sources : REGULATION (EC) No 1272/2008 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 16 December 2008 on classification, labeling and packaging of substances and mixtures, amending and repealing Directives 67/548/EEC and 1999/45/EC, and amending Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

Other information : None

#### SDS EU (REACH Annex II)

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.