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## 1. Identification

1.1. Product identifier

Product Identity Human Interferon Alpha I (Alpha 17)

Alternate Names Product No. 11150

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

Intended Use / Application Method See Technical Data Sheet.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company Name PBL Assay Science

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Customer Service: PBL Assay Science Phone: 1 (732) 777 9123

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## 2. Hazard(s) identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

No applicable GHS categories.

#### 2.2. Label elements

No applicable GHS categories.

[Prevention]:

No GHS prevention statements

[Response]:

No GHS response statements

[Storage]:

No GHS storage statements

[Disposal]:

No GHS disposal statements

## 3. Composition/information on ingredients

There are no ingredients in this product which are classified as hazardous, and/or no hazardous ingredients above the GHS cut off percentage.

#### 4. First aid measures

### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

**General** In all cases of doubt, or when symptoms persist, seek medical attention.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.



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**Inhalation** Remove to fresh air, keep patient warm and at rest. If breathing is irregular or stopped, give

artificial respiration. If unconscious place in the recovery position and obtain immediate medical

attention. Give nothing by mouth.

Eyes Irrigate copiously with clean water for at least 15 minutes, holding the eyelids apart and seek

medical attention.

**Skin** If large quantity of any component is in contact with the skin, wash with ample amounts of soap

and water for at least 15 minutes. Cover the skin with an emollient. Get medical attention if

irritation develops. Cold water may be used.

**Ingestion** If the person is conscious wash mouth with water. If large quantity of any component is

swallowed call a physician immediately. Loosen any tight clothing.

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

Overview <u>Inhalation:</u> Lung irritants.

Skin Contact: May be skin irritants and non-sensitizers. Skin inflammation is characterized by

itching, reddening, and occasional blistering.

Eye Contact: Eye irritants.

Ingestion: Can cause nausea and vomiting.

## 5. Fire-fighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Small Fire: Use DRY chemical powder. Large fire: Use water spray, fog or foam. Do not use water jet.

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

Hazardous decomposition: Toxic Fumes, Nitrogen gas and Sodium oxide

#### 5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Use an approved/certified respirator or equivalent. Use protective clothing to avoid contact with skin and eyes.

Cool closed containers exposed to fire by spraying them with water. Do not allow run off water and contaminants from fire fighting to enter drains or water ways.

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#### 6. Accidental release measures

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

Remove sources of ignition, do not turn lights or unprotected electrical equipment on or off. In case of a major spill or spillage in a confined space evacuate the area and check that solvent vapor levels are below the Lower Explosive Limit before re-entering.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow spills to enter drains or waterways.

Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using toilet. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash thoroughly before reuse.



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

While wearing safety gloves absorb material with paper towels and place in waste disposal container. Finish cleaning by spreading water on the contaminated surface and allow the water to evacuate through the sanitary system. If necessary, repeat again with additional paper towels and place in waste disposal container.

## 7. Handling and storage

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling: Avoid contact with skin and eyes, and avoid ingestion.

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

<u>Storage</u>: Refer to the storage temperatures indicated in the protocol. It is recommended to use original containers for storage.

<u>Intended Use:</u> Refer to the protocol supplied for proper use. If questions arise please contact info@pblassaysci.com Packaging materials: Use original containers.

Incompatible materials: May be incompatible with strong oxidizing agents.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No data available.

## 8. Exposure controls and personal protection

There are no ingredients in this product which are classified as hazardous, and/or no hazardous ingredients above the GHS cut off percentage.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

**Respiratory** Use a respirator approved for pure Sodium Azide in powder form (no Sodium Azide in

product).

**Eyes** Protective safety glasses recommended

**Skin** A lab coat should be worn. Safety gloves are recommended to prevent skin contact.

**Engineering Controls** Provide adequate ventilation. Where reasonably practicable this should be achieved by the use

of local exhaust ventilation and good general extraction. If these are not sufficient to maintain concentrations of particulates and any vapor below occupational exposure limits suitable

respiratory protection must be worn.

Other Work Practices Use good personal hygiene practices. Wash hands before eating, drinking, smoking or using

toilet. Promptly remove soiled clothing and wash thoroughly before reuse.

## 9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance Colorless Liquid

**Odor** Odorless

Odor threshold Not determined

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pH Not Measured

Melting point / freezing point Not Measured
Initial boiling point and boiling range Not Measured
Flash Point Not Measured
Evaporation rate (Ether = 1) Not Measured
Flammability (solid, gas) Not Applicable

Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits Lower Explosive Limit: Not Measured

**Upper Explosive Limit:** Not Measured

Vapor pressure (Pa) Not Measured **Vapor Density** Not Measured **Specific Gravity** Not Measured Solubility in Water Not Measured Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) Not Measured **Auto-ignition temperature** Not Measured Not Measured **Decomposition temperature** Viscosity (cSt) Not Measured

#### 9.2. Other information

May be frozen or in liquid state depending on storage conditions. The color may change with change in pH. Neat serum may have a brownish tinge.

## 10. Stability and reactivity

#### 10.1. Reactivity

Hazardous Polymerization will not occur.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal circumstances.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No data available.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid extreme temperatures.

10.5. Incompatible materials

May be incompatible with strong oxidizing agents.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Toxic Fumes, Nitrogen gas and Sodium oxide

## 11. Toxicological information

#### **Acute toxicity**

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Classification	Category	Hazard Description
Acute toxicity (oral)		Not Available
Acute toxicity (dermal)		Not Available
Acute toxicity (inhalation)		Not Available
Skin corrosion/irritation		Not Available
Serious eye damage/irritation		Not Available
Respiratory sensitization		Not Available
Skin sensitization		Not Available
Germ cell mutagenicity		Not Available
Carcinogenicity		Not Available
Reproductive toxicity		Not Available
STOT-single exposure		Not Available
STOT-repeated exposure		Not Available
Aspiration hazard		Not Available

## 12. Ecological information

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information provided for this product. See Section 3 for chemical specific data.

#### **Aquatic Ecotoxicity**

There are no ingredients in this product which are classified as hazardous, and/or no hazardous ingredients above the GHS cut off percentage.

#### 12.2. Persistence and degradability

There is no data available on the preparation itself.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Not Measured

#### 12.4. Mobility in soil

No data available.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This product contains no PBT/vPvB chemicals.

#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

No data available.

## 13. Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Observe all federal, state and local regulations when disposing of this substance.



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## 14. Transport information

**DOT (Domestic Surface** 

**Transportation**)

14.1. **UN** number Not Applicable **14.2. UN proper shipping name** Not Regulated

14.3. Transport hazard **DOT Hazard Class: Not** Applicable

class(es)

14.4. Packing group Not Applicable

14.5. Environmental hazards

**IMDG** Marine Pollutant: No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

No further information

IMO / IMDG (Ocean **Transportation**)

Not Regulated Not Regulated Not Regulated Not Regulated

**IMDG:** Not Applicable

All components of this material are either listed or exempt from listing on the TSCA Inventory.

Sub Class: Not Applicable

Not Applicable Not Applicable

ICAO/IATA

Air Class: Not Applicable

## 15. Regulatory information

The regulatory data in Section 15 is not intended to be all-inclusive, only selected regulations Regulatory Overview

are represented.

**Toxic Substance** 

Control Act (TSCA)

WHMIS Classification

Not Regulated

**US EPA Tier II Hazards** Fire: No

Sudden Release of Pressure: No.

Reactive: No

Immediate (Acute): No Delayed (Chronic): No

#### EPCRA 311/312 Chemicals and RQs:

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

#### **EPCRA 302 Extremely Hazardous:**

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

### **EPCRA 313 Toxic Chemicals:**

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

#### Proposition 65 - Carcinogens (>0.0%):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

#### **Proposition 65 - Developmental Toxins (>0.0%):**

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

#### Proposition 65 - Female Repro Toxins (>0.0%):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

#### **Proposition 65 - Male Repro Toxins (>0.0%):**

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute. New Jersey RTK Substances (>1%):

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#### Pennsylvania RTK Substances (>1%):

To the best of our knowledge, there are no chemicals at levels which require reporting under this statute.

### 16. Other information

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