**FOR IN VITRO DIAGNOSTIC USE**

**DESCRIPTION**
One bottle containing 25 mL of a phosphate buffered salt solution and 0.1% sodium azide (after dilution to 1X) for use in numerous laboratory procedures. The solution has been tested for sterility.

**WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS**
- General purpose laboratory reagent.
- Sodium azide is included in the 40X PBS Concentrate at 4%. The working concentration after a 1X dilution is 0.1%.
  - Sodium azide is considered poisonous. If the 40X PBS Concentrate is swallowed, seek medical advice immediately.
  - Aqueous solutions of sodium azide, when mixed with acids, may liberate toxic gas.
  - Avoid disposal of these solutions down sanitary or industrial plumbing systems. Sodium azide may react with lead and copper plumbing to form highly explosive metal azides.
  - Avoid release to the environment.
- Testing should be performed in an area with adequate ventilation.
- Dispose of containers and unused contents in accordance with Federal, State and Local regulatory requirements.
- Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves, and eye/face protection when handling the contents of this kit.
- Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
- For additional information on hazard symbols, safety, handling and disposal of the components within this kit, please refer to the Safety Data Sheet (SDS) located at quidel.com.

**STORAGE**
Reagent will retain its full potency through the expiration date when stored at 2°C to 8°C. Label the 1X PBS Solution with a sixty (60) day expiration date after reconstitution and store at ambient temperature (20°C to 25°C).

**INSTRUCTIONS**
1. Dilute to 1X before use.
2. After storage at 2°C to 8°C, some salts in the 40X PBS Concentrate may have crystallized. Warm the solution to ambient temperature to re-dissolve the crystals and mix.
3. Add contents of the fully dissolved 25 mL PBS Concentrate to 975 mL of demineralized water.
4. Label the 1X PBS with a sixty (60) day expiration date after reconstitution and store at ambient temperature (20°C to 25°C).
5. Discard 1X PBS if it becomes cloudy or after sixty (60) days.
ASSISTANCE
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