1. Identification of the Substance and Company

**Spordex® Biological Indicator Ampoules for Steam**

**Product No. NA500**

**SDS No. S110US**

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**Handling and Storage:** Store at 0°C (32°F). Keep away from sterilants as they may injure the microorganisms contained in the product, reducing its functionality.

**Disposal:** Before discarding, treat as appropriate for standard microbiological waste, non-pathogenic species; e.g., steam autoclave at 121°C (250°F) for not less than 30 minutes, incinerate, or use other suitable means.

Spordex® biological indicators are NOT hazardous products according to the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard, 29 CFR 1910.1200.

Spordex® biological indicators are inoculated with spores of *Geobacillus stearothermophilus* for steam sterilization.

*The information on this sheet is not a specification and does not guarantee specific properties. The information is intended to provide general knowledge as to health and safety based upon our knowledge of the handling, storage and use of the product. It is not applicable to unusual or non-standard uses of the product or where instruction or recommendations are not followed.*