

SAFETY DATA SHEET

WATER SOFTNER

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE / PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY / UNDERTAKING

Product name: WATER SOFTNER

Product code: M00181

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2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous ingredients: POTASSIUM TRIPOYPHOSPHATE <6%

CAS: 13845-36-8 [Xi] R36/38

• NITRILOTRIACETATE TRISODIUM SALT 10-30%

CAS: 5064-31-3 [Xn] R22; [Xi] R36

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Main hazards: Harmful if swallowed. Irritating to eyes.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (SYMPTOMS)

Skin contact: There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. There may be difficulty

swallowing. Nausea and stomach pain may occur. There may be vomiting.

Inhalation: Absorption through the lungs can occur causing symptoms similar to those of ingestion.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (ACTION)

Skin contact: Wash immediately with plenty of soap and water.Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes.

Ingestion: Wash out mouth with water. Do not induce vomiting. If conscious, give half a litre of water to

drink immediately. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.

Inhalation: Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. Consult a doctor.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media: Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool

containers.

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Exposure hazards: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

Protection of fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin

and eyes.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. Mark out the contaminated area with

signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to

prevent the escape of liquid.

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

Clean-up procedures: Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by

an appropriate method.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling requirements: Avoid the formation or spread of mists in the air. Avoid direct contact with the substance.

Storage conditions: Store in cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

Suitable packaging: Must only be kept in original packaging.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Respiratory protection: Respiratory protection not required.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Protective clothing.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

State: Liquid

Colour: Colourless

Odour: Barely perceptible odour

Evaporation rate: Negligible

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Solubility in water: Miscible

Viscosity: Non-viscous

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: Stable under normal conditions.

Conditions to avoid: Heat.

Materials to avoid: Strong oxidising agents. Strong acids.

Haz. decomp. products: In combustion emits toxic fumes.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Routes of exposure: Refer to section 4 of SDS for routes of exposure and corresponding symptoms.

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12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Mobility: Readily absorbed into soil.

Persistence and degradability: Biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential: No bioaccumulation potential.

Other adverse effects: Negligible ecotoxicity.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations

regarding disposal.

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR / RID

UN no: -

Shipping name: "NOT SUBJECT TO ADR"

IMDG / IMO

UN no: -

IATA / ICAO

UN no: -

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Hazard symbols: Harmful.



Risk phrases: R22: Harmful if swallowed.

R36: Irritating to eyes.

Safety phrases: S2: Keep out of the reach of children.

Note: The regulatory information given above only indicates the principal regulations specifically

applicable to the product described in the safety data sheet. The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of additional provisions which complete these regulations. Refer to all

applicable national, international and local regulations or provisions.

16. OTHER INFORMATION

Risk phrases used in s.2: R36/38: Irritating to eyes and skin.

R22: Harmful if swallowed.

R36: Irritating to eyes.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall

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be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.