## SAFETY DATA SHEET QUANTUM ANTI-FREEZE BLUE (Summer Coolant)

SECTION 1: Identification of t	the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking
1.1. Product identifier	
Product name	QUANTUM ANTI-FREEZE BLUE (Summer Coolant)
Product number	ZGB00QAFR001L, ZGB00QAFR005L, ZGB00QAFR020L, ZGB00QAFR0205L
Internal identification	B16901, 16605, 16610, 16613, 16620
1.2. Relevant identified uses	of the substance or mixture and uses advised against
Identified uses	Antifreeze liquid.
Uses advised against	This product is not recommended for any industrial, professional or consumer use other than the identified uses stated above.
1.3. Details of the supplier of	the safety data sheet
Supplier	Volkswagen Group United Kingdom Ltd Yeomans Drive Blakelands Milton Keynes
	MK14 5AN 01908 601601
1.4. Emergency telephone nu	mber
Emergency telephone	Tel: +44 1604 701111 (Office Hours Monday - Friday (0900 Hrs - 1700 Hrs))
SECTION 2: Hazards identified	cation
2.1. Classification of the subs	tance or mixture
Classification (EC 1272/2008)	) Not Classified
Physical hazards	
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Health hazards	Acute Tox. 4 - H302 STOT RE 2 - H373
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Health hazards Environmental hazards	Acute Tox. 4 - H302 STOT RE 2 - H373
Health hazards Environmental hazards 2.2. Label elements	Acute Tox. 4 - H302 STOT RE 2 - H373
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Health hazards Environmental hazards 2.2. Label elements Pictogram	Acute Tox. 4 - H302 STOT RE 2 - H373 Not Classified

## Contains

ETHANEDIOL

## 2.3. Other hazards

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

SECTION 3: Composition/informat	ion on ingredients	
3.2. Mixtures		
ETHANEDIOL		60-100%
CAS number: 107-21-1	EC number: 203-473-3	REACH registration number: 01- 2119456816-28-XXXX
<b>Classification</b> Acute Tox. 4 - H302 STOT RE 2 - H373		
DISODIUM TETRABORATE PEN	ITAHYDRATE	1-5%
CAS number: 12179-04-3	EC number: 215-540-4	REACH registration number: 01- 2119490790-32-XXXX
Substance included in the Candid EC No. 1907/2006 ('REACH').	ate List of Substances of Very High Con	ncern according to article 59 (1,10) of regulation
<b>Classification</b> Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 Repr. 1B - H360FD		
SODIUM NITRATE		<1%
CAS number: 7631-99-4	EC number: 231-554-3	REACH registration number: 01- 2119488221-41-XXXX
<b>Classification</b> Eye Irrit. 2 - H319		
SODIUM HYDROXIDE		<1%
CAS number: 1310-73-2	EC number: 215-185-5	REACH registration number: 01- 2119457892-27-XXXX
Classification		
Met. Corr. 1 - H290 Skin Corr. 1A - H314		
Eye Dam. 1 - H318		

TOLYLTRIAZOLE		<1%
CAS number: 29385-43-1	EC number: 249-596-6	REACH registration number: 01- 2119979081-35-XXXX
<b>Classification</b> Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319 Aquatic Chronic 2 - H411		
DENATONIUM BENZOATE		<1%
CAS number: 3734-33-6	EC number: 223-095-2	
Classification Acute Tox. 4 - H302 Acute Tox. 4 - H332 Aquatic Chronic 3 - H412		
The full text for all hazard stat	ements is displayed in Section 16.	
Composition comments	The data shown are in accordance with the	latest EC Directives.
SECTION 4: First aid measur	es	
4.1. Description of first aid me	pasures	
General information	First Aid responders should pay attention to protective clothing (chemical resistant glove exists refer to Section 8 for specific persona	s, splash protection). If potential for exposure
Inhalation	fresh air and keep warm and at rest in a pos	Bet medical attention. Move affected person to sition comfortable for breathing. When breathing is ist affected person by administering oxygen.
Ingestion	attention immediately. If person is fully cons medical advice is delayed and if an adult ha give 3-4 ounces (1/3-1/2 Cup) (90-120 ml) o children, give proportionally less liquor at a	erson from source of contamination. Get medical cious give 1 cup or 8 ounces (240 ml) of water. If s swallowed several ounces of chemical, then of hard liquor such as 80 proof whiskey. For dose of 0.3 ounce (1 1/2 tsp.) (8 ml) liquor for each ody weight [e.g., 1.2 ounce (2 1/3 tbsp.) for a 40
Skin contact		thoroughly with soap and water. Get medical Vash contaminated clothing before reuse. Destroy belts, and watchbands.
Eye contact		I minutes. Remove contact lenses after the initial al additional minutes. If effects occur, consult a
4.2. Most important symptoms	s and effects, both acute and delayed	
General information	Aside from the information found under Des Indication of immediate medical attention an symptoms and effects are anticipated.	cription of first aid measures (above) and ad special treatment needed (below), no additional
4.3. Indication of any immedia	ate medical attention and special treatment nee	eded

Notes for the doctor

Check section 3.2 to obtain percentage of ethylene glycol in this product, the following is based on 100% ethylene glycol content. If several ounces (60 - 100 ml) of ethylene glycol have been ingested, early administration of ethanol may counter the toxic effects (metabolic acidosis, renal damage). Consider hemodialysis or peritoneal dialysis & thiamine 100 mg plus pyridoxine 50 mg intravenously every 6 hours. If ethanol is used, a therapeutically effective blood concentration in the range of 100 - 150 mg/dl may be achieved by a rapid loading dose followed by a continuous intravenous infusion. Consult standard literature for details of treatment. 4-Methyl pyrazole (Antizol®) is an effective blocker of alcohol dehydrogenase and should be used in the treatment of ethylene glycol (EG), di- or triethylene glycol (DEG, TEG), ethylene glycol butyl ether (EGBE), or methanol intoxication if available. Fomepizole protocol (Brent, J. et al., New England Journal of Medicine, Feb. 8, 2001, 344:6, p. 424-9): loading dose 15 mg/kg intravenously, follow by bolus dose of 10 mg/kg every 12 hours; after 48 hours, increase bolus dose to 15 mg/kg every 12 hours. Continue fomepizole until serum methanol, EG, DEG, TEG or EGBE are undetectable. The signs and symptoms of poisoning include anion gap metabolic acidosis, CNS depression, renal tubular injury, and possible late stage cranial nerve involvement. Respiratory symptoms, including pulmonary edema, may be delayed. Persons receiving significant exposure should be observed 24-48 hours for signs of respiratory distress. In severe poisoning, respiratory support with mechanical ventilation and positive end expiratory pressure may be required. Maintain adequate ventilation and oxygenation of the patient. If lavage is performed, suggest endotracheal and/or esophageal control. Danger from lung aspiration must be weighed against toxicity when considering emptying the stomach. If burn is present, treat as any thermal burn, after decontamination. Treatment of exposure should be directed at the control of symptoms and the clinical condition of the patient.

#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	The product is not flammable. Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog.
Unsuitable extinguishing media	Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.
5.2. Special hazards arising from	om the substance or mixture
Specific hazards	Combustible Container may rupture from gas generation in a fire situation. Violent steam generation or eruption may occur upon application of direct water stream to hot liquids.
Hazardous combustion products	During a fire, smoke may contain the original material in addition to combustion products of varying composition which may be toxic and/or irritating. Combustion products may include and are not limited to: Carbon monoxide. Carbon dioxide. Nitrogen oxides.
5.3. Advice for firefighters	
Protective actions during firefighting	Cool containers exposed to heat with water spray and remove them from the fire area if it can be done without risk. Fight advanced or massive fires from safe distance or protected location. For massive fire in cargo area, use unmanned hose holder or monitor nozzles, if possible. If not, withdraw and let fire burn out. Withdraw immediately in case of rising sound from venting safety device or any discoloration of tanks due to fire. Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire. If a leak or spill has not ignited, use water spray to disperse vapours and protect men stopping the leak. Extinguishing waters may present a risk of damage to the environmental, collect and dispose of as hazardous waste, in accordance with local legislation.
Special protective equipment for firefighters	Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and protective fire fighting clothing (includes fire fighting helmet, coat, trousers, boots, and gloves). If protective equipment is not available or not used, fight fire from a protected location or safe distance.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

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

Personal precautions Isolate area. Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel from entering the area. Refer to Section 7, Handling, for additional precautionary measures. Use appropriate safety equipment. For additional information, refer to Section 8, Exposure Controls and Personal Protection. No smoking, sparks, flames or other sources of ignition near spillage. Avoid inhalation of vapours and contact with skin and eyes.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Avoid from entering into soil, ditches, sewers, waterways and/or groundwater. See Section 12, Ecological Information.

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

 Methods for cleaning up
 Contain spilled material if possible. Containers with collected spillage must be properly labelled with correct contents and hazard symbol. Small Spillages: Absorb with materials such as: Cat litter. Sand. Sawdust. Zorb-all®. Hazorb®. Large spills: Dike area to contain spill.

 Pump into suitable and properly labeled containers. See Section 13, Disposal Considerations, for additional information.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections	For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health
	hazards. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions	Avoid spilling. Do not swallow. Do not handle broken packages without protective equipment. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Wash hands and any other contaminated areas of the body with soap and water before leaving the work site. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
7.2. Conditions for safe stor	age, including any incompatibilities
Storage precautions	Store in tightly-closed, original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Keep only in the original container.
7.3. Specific end use(s)	
Specific end use(s)	The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.
SECTION 8: Exposure Con	trols/personal protection
8.1. Control parameters	
Occupational exposure limit	S
ETHANEDIOL	
Long-term exposure limit (8-	-hour TWA): WEL 52 mg/m³ 20 ppm
Short-term exposure limit (1 Sk	5-minute): WEL 104 mg/m3 40 ppm vapour
Long-term exposure limit (8-	-hour TWA): WEL 10 mg/m <sup>3</sup> particulate
DISODIUM TETRABORATE	E PENTAHYDRATE
Long-term exposure limit (8	-hour TWA): 1 mg/m³
SODIUM NITRATE	
No exposure limit value kno	wn.

#### No exposure infin value kit

## SODIUM HYDROXIDE

Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 2 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

## TOLYLTRIAZOLE

No exposure limit value known.

## DENATONIUM BENZOATE

No exposure limit value known. WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit Sk = Can be absorbed through skin.

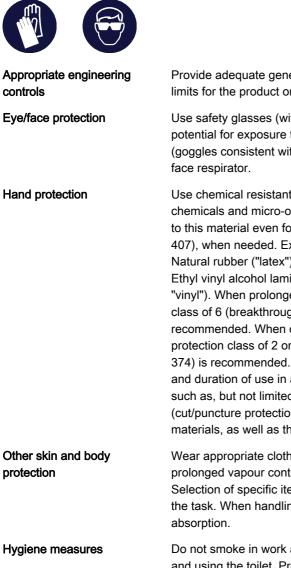
Ingredient comments	WEL = Workplace Exposure Limits
	ETHANEDIOL (CAS: 107-21-1)
DNEL	Industry - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 106 mg/kg bw/day Industry - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 35 mg/m³ Consumer - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 53 mg/kg bw/day Consumer - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 7 mg/m³
PNEC	<ul> <li>Fresh water; 10 mg/l</li> <li>Marine water; 1 mg/l</li> <li>Sediment (Freshwater); 37 mg/kg sediment dw</li> <li>Intermittent release; 10 mg/l</li> <li>Soil; 1.53 mg/kg</li> <li>STP; 199.5 mg/l</li> <li>Sediment (Marinewater); 3.7 mg/kg sediment dw</li> <li>Soil; 1.53 mg/kg soil dw</li> </ul>
	DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE (CAS: 12179-04-3)
DNEL	Workers - Inhalation; Long term, Short term local effects, Acute: 11.7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 6.7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> General population - Oral; Long term, Short term systemic effects, Acute: 0.79 mg/kg bw/day General population - Inhalation; Long term, Short term local effects, Acute: 11.7 mg/m <sup>3</sup> General population - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 159.5 mg/kg bw/day Workers - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 316.4 mg/kg bw/day General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 3.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
PNEC	<ul> <li>Fresh water; 2.9 mg/l</li> <li>Marine water; 2.9 mg/l</li> <li>Intermittent release; 13.7 mg/l</li> <li>STP; 10 mg/l</li> <li>Soil; 5.7 mg/kg soil dw</li> </ul>
	SODIUM NITRATE (CAS: 7631-99-4)
DNEL	Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 36.7 mg/m³ Workers - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 20.8 mg/kg bw/day General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 10.9 mg/m³ General population - Oral, Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 12.5 mg/kg bw/day
PNEC	- Fresh water; 0.45 mg/l - Marine water; 0.045 mg/l - Intermittent release; 4.5 mg/l - STP; 18 mg/l

## SODIUM SILICATE SOLUTION (CAS: 1344-09-8)

DNEL	Industry - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 5.61 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Industry - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 1.59 mg/kg bw/day Consumer - Oral; Long term systemic effects: 0.80 mg/kg bw/day Consumer - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 1.38 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Consumer - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 0.80 mg/kg bw/day
PNEC	- Fresh water; 7.5 mg/l - Marine water; 1 mg/l - Intermittent release; 7.5 mg/l - STP; 348 mg/l
	SODIUM HYDROXIDE (CAS: 1310-73-2)
DNEL	Consumer - Inhalation; local effects: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Industry - Inhalation; Long term local effects: 1 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
	TOLYLTRIAZOLE (CAS: 29385-43-1)
DNEL	Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 8.8 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Workers - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 0.5 mg/kg bw/day General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 4.4 mg/m <sup>3</sup> General population - Dermal; Long term, Short term systemic effects, Acute: 0.25 mg/kg bw/day
PNEC	<ul> <li>Fresh water; 0.008 mg/l</li> <li>Marine water; 0.008 mg/l</li> <li>Intermittent release; 0.086 mg/l</li> <li>STP; 39.4 mg/l</li> <li>Sediment (Freshwater); 0.0025 mg/kg sediment dw</li> <li>Sediment (Marinewater); 0.0025 mg/kg sediment dw</li> <li>Soil; 0.0024 mg/kg soil dw</li> </ul>
	DENATONIUM BENZOATE (CAS: 3734-33-6)
DNEL	Workers - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 15.748 mg/m <sup>3</sup> Workers - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 8.932 mg/kg bw/day General population - Inhalation; Long term systemic effects: 3.883 mg/m <sup>3</sup> General population - Dermal; Long term systemic effects: 4.466 mg/kg bw/day General population - Oral; Long term systemic effects: 2.233 mg/kg bw/day
PNEC	<ul> <li>Fresh water; 0.1 mg/l</li> <li>Marine water; 0.01 mg/l</li> <li>Intermittent release; 1 mg/l</li> <li>STP; 51.158 mg/l</li> <li>Sediment (Freshwater); 33.692 mg/kg sediment dw</li> <li>Sediment (Marinewater); 3.369 mg/kg sediment dw</li> <li>Soil; 16.127 mg/kg soil dw</li> </ul> BENZYL VIOLET 4B (CAS: 1694-09-3)
DNEL	No DNEL available.
PNEC	No PNEC available.

### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### **Protective equipment**



Provide adequate general and local exhaust ventilation. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients.

Use safety glasses (with side shields), consistent with EN 166 or equivalent. If there is a potential for exposure to particles which could cause eye discomfort, wear chemical goggles (goggles consistent with EN 166 or equivalent). If exposure causes eye discomfort, use a full-face respirator.

Use chemical resistant gloves classified under Standard EN374: Protective gloves against chemicals and micro-organisms. If hands are cut or scratched, use gloves chemically resistant to this material even for brief exposures. Use gloves with insulation for thermal protection (EN 407), when needed. Examples of preferred glove barrier materials include: Butyl rubber. Natural rubber ("latex"). Neoprene. Nitrile/butadiene rubber ("nitrile" or "NBR"). Polyethylene. Ethyl vinyl alcohol laminate ("EVAL"). Polyvinyl alcohol ("PVA"). Polyvinyl chloride ("PVC" or "vinyl"). When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 6 (breakthrough time greater than 480 minutes according to EN 374) is recommended. When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection and duration of use in a workplace should also take into account all relevant workplace factors such as, but not limited to: Other chemicals which may be handled, physical requirements (cut/puncture protection, dexterity, thermal protection), potential body reactions to glove materials, as well as the instructions/specifications provided by the glove supplier.

Other skin and body<br/>protectionWear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of liquid contact and repeated or<br/>prolonged vapour contact. Use protective clothing chemically resistant to this material.<br/>Selection of specific items such as face shield, boots, apron, or full body suit will depend on<br/>the task. When handling hot material, protect skin from thermal burns as well as from skin<br/>absorption.

Hygiene measuresDo not smoke in work area. Wash at the end of each work shift and before eating, smoking<br/>and using the toilet. Promptly remove any clothing that becomes contaminated. Wash<br/>promptly with soap and water if skin becomes contaminated. Use appropriate skin cream to<br/>prevent drying of skin. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

**Respiratory protection** Respiratory protection should be worn when there is a potential to exceed the exposure limit requirements or guidelines. If there are no applicable exposure limit requirements or guidelines, wear respiratory protection when adverse effects, such as respiratory irritation or discomfort have been experienced, or where indicated by your risk assessment process. For most conditions no respiratory protection should be needed; however, if discomfort is experienced, use an approved air-purifying respirator. Use CE approved air-purifying respirator with combination filter type A1P2 minimum.

Environmental exposureEmissions from ventilation or work process equipment should be checked to ensure they<br/>comply with the requirements of environmental protection legislation. In some cases, fume<br/>scrubbers, filters or engineering modifications to the process equipment will be necessary to<br/>reduce emissions to acceptable levels.

SECTION 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Clear liquid.

Colour	Blue.
Odour	Mild. Characteristic.
рН	pH (diluted solution): 7.2-8.0 @ 50% water solution
Initial boiling point and range	>150°C @ 760 mm Hg
Flash point	120°C Closed cup.
Relative density	1.12-1.15 @ 20°C
Solubility(ies)	Completely soluble in water.
9.2. Other information	
SECTION 10: Stability and rea	activity
10.1. Reactivity	
Reactivity	Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.
10.2. Chemical stability	
Stability	Stable at normal ambient temperatures.
10.3. Possibility of hazardous	reactions
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Will not polymerise.
10.4. Conditions to avoid	
Conditions to avoid	Exposure to elevated temperatures can cause product to decompose. Generation of gas during decomposition can cause pressure in closed systems.
10.5. Incompatible materials	
Materials to avoid	Strong acids. Strong oxidising agents. Strong alkalis.
10.6. Hazardous decomposition	on products
Hazardous decomposition products	Decomposition products depend upon temperature, air supply and the presence of other materials. Decomposition products can include and are not limited to: Aldehydes. Ethers. Alcohols.
SECTION 11: Toxicological in	formation
11.1. Information on toxicolog	ical effects
Toxicological effects	The product is not expected to be toxic to aquatic organisms.
Other health effects	There is no evidence that the product can cause cancer.
Acute toxicity - oral	
Notes (oral LD₅₀)	Harmful if swallowed.
ATE oral (mg/kg)	542.75
Specific target organ toxicity -	
STOT - repeated exposure	May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
General information	To the best of our knowledge the chemical, physical and toxicological properties have not been thoroughly investigated.
Inhalation	Unlikely to be hazardous by inhalation because of the low vapour pressure of the product at ambient temperature. Vapour may irritate respiratory system/lungs.
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Ingestion	Harmful: possible risk of irreversible effects if swallowed. Headache. Nausea, vomiting. There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat.
Skin contact	Prolonged and frequent contact may cause redness and irritation. Not a skin sensitiser.
Eye contact	May cause eye irritation.
Acute and chronic health hazards	May cause damage to kidneys and liver through prolonged or repeated exposure (oral).
Route of exposure	Ingestion.
Medical symptoms	Headache. Nausea, vomiting.

## Toxicological information on ingredients.

	ETHANEDIOL
Acute toxicity - oral	
Acute toxicity oral (LD₅₀ mg/kg)	7,712.0
Species	Rat
Notes (oral LD∞)	Acute oral toxicity is expected to be moderate in humans eventhough animals test results would suggest a low toxicity. Ingestion of approximately 100ml has caused death in humans. Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting, abdominal discomfort or diarrhea. Excessive exposure may cause central nervous system effects, cardiopulmonary effects and kidney failure.
ATE oral (mg/kg)	500.0
Acute toxicity - dermal	
Acute toxicity dermal (LD₅₀ mg/kg)	3,501.0
Species	Mouse
ATE dermal (mg/kg)	3,501.0
Acute toxicity - inhalation	
Acute toxicity inhalation (LC∞ vapours mg/l)	2.6
Species	Rat
Notes (inhalation LC∞)	At room temperature exposure to vapour is minimal due to low volatility. With good ventilation single exposure is not expected to cause adverse effect. If the product is heated or the working area has poor ventilation, vapour/mist may accumulate and cause respiratory irritation and symptoms such as headache and nausea.
Skin corrosion/irritation	
Animal data	Not irritating. Rabbit
Serious eye damage/irritati	on
Serious eye damage/irritation	Not irritating. Rabbit
Respiratory sensitisation	
Respiratory sensitisation	Guinea pig: Not sensitising.

Skin sensitisation	
Skin sensitisation	- Guinea pig: Not sensitising.
Germ cell mutagenicity	
Genotoxicity - in vitro	Negative.
Genotoxicity - in vivo	Negative.
Carcinogenicity	
Carcinogenicity	The current toxicological kowledge allows to not classify the product as a carcinogen.
Reproductive toxicity	
Reproductive toxicity - fertility	Ingestion of large amounts has been shown to interfere with reproduction in animals.
Specific target organ toxicit	ty - repeated exposure
STOT - repeated exposure	Observations in humans include: Nystagmus (involuntary eye movement). In animals effects have been reported on the following organs: kidneys and liver. NOAEL 150 mg/kg/day, Oral, Rat
Target organs	Kidneys
Inhalation	At room temperature, exposure to vapor is minimal due to low volatility. With good ventilation, single exposure is not expected to cause adverse effects. If material is heated or areas are poorly ventilated, vapor/mist may accumulate and cause respiratory irritation and symptoms such as headache and nausea.
Ingestion	Oral toxicity is expected to be moderate in humans due to ethylene glycol even though tests with animals show a lower degree of toxicity. Ingestion of quantities (approximately 65 mL (2 oz.) for diethylene glycol or 100 mL (3 oz.) for ethylene glycol) has caused death in humans. May cause nausea and vomiting. May cause abdominal discomfort or diarrhea. Excessive exposure may cause central nervous system effects, cardiopulmonary effects (metabolic acidosis), and kidney failure. For Ethylene glycol: Lethal Dose, Human, adult 100 ml LD50, rat, male and female 7,712 mg/kg.
Skin contact	Prolonged skin contact is unlikely to result in absorption of harmful amounts. Repeated skin exposure to large quantities may result in absorption of harmful amounts. Massive contact with damaged skin or of material sufficiently hot to burn skin may result in absorption of potentially lethal amounts.
Eye contact	May cause temporary eye irritation.
Route of exposure	Ingestion.
Target organs	Kidneys Liver
	DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE
Acute toxicity - oral	
Acute toxicity oral (LD₅₀ mg/kg)	3,305.0
Species	Rat
Notes (oral LD₅₀)	Low acute oral toxicity.

ATE oral (mg/kg)	3,305.0
Acute toxicity - der	mal
Acute toxicity dern mg/kg)	nal (LD₅₀ 2,001.0
Species	Rabbit
Notes (dermal LD₅	b) The substance is poorly absorbed through intact skin. Low acute dermal toxicity.
ATE dermal (mg/k	<b>g)</b> 2,001.0
Acute toxicity - inh	alation
Notes (inhalation L	.C <sub>50</sub> ) Low acute inhalation toxicity.
Skin corrosion/irrit	ation
Animal data	Not irritating.
Serious eye dama	ge/irritation
Serious eye damage/irritation	Moderately irritating.
Respiratory sensit	sation
Respiratory sensit	sation Data lacking.
Skin sensitisation	
Skin sensitisation	Not sensitising.
Carcinogenicity	
Carcinogenicity	No evidence of carcinogenicity in animal studies.
Reproductive toxic	ity
Reproductive toxic fertility	ity - Known reproductive toxicant based on animal evidence.
Reproductive toxic development	ity - Known reproductive toxicant based on animal evidence.
Specific target org	an toxicity - single exposure
STOT - single exp	osure Conclusive data but not sufficient for classification.
Specific target org	an toxicity - repeated exposure
STOT - repeated e	xposure Conclusive data but not sufficient for classification.
Aspiration hazard	
Aspiration hazard	Conclusive data but not sufficient for classification.
Skin contact	Not irritating. Not a skin sensitiser.
Eye contact	Mild eye irritant in rabbits.
SECTION 12: Ecological Inform	ation

Ecotoxicity

The product is not expected to be hazardous to the environment. The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, large or frequent spills may have hazardous effects on the environment.

Ecological information on ingredients.

## DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE

Ecotoxicity

Boron occurs naturally in sea water at an average concentration of 5 mg B/l and fresh water at 1 mg B/l or less. In dilute aqueous solutions the predominant boron species present is undissociated boric acid.

### 12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity

The product is not expected to be toxic to aquatic organisms.

## Ecological information on ingredients.

### **ETHANEDIOL**

Toxicity	Product not classified as dangerous to aquatic organisms.
Acute aquatic toxicity	
Acute toxicity - fish	LC50, 96 hours: 72860 mg/l, Pimephales promelas (Fat-head Minnow)
Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	EC₅₀, 48 hours: > 100 mg/l, Daphnia magna
Acute toxicity - aquatic plants	EC₅₀, 96 hours: 6500 - 13000 mg/l, Selenastrum capricornutum
Acute toxicity - microorganisms	EC20, 30 minutes: > 1995 mg/l, Activated sludge
Chronic aquatic toxicity	
Chronic toxicity - fish early life stage	NOEC, 7 days: 15380 mg/l, Pimephales promelas (Fat-head Minnow)
Chronic toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	NOEC, 7 days: 8590 mg/l, Ceriodaphnia Sp.
	DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE
Toxicity	All toxicity values relate to Boron (Boron = Disodium Tetraborate Pentahydrate multiplied by 0.1484).
Acute aquatic toxicity	
Acute toxicity - fish	$LC_{50}$ , 96 hours: 79.7 mg B/L, Pimephales promelas (Fat-head Minnow)
Acute toxicity - aquatic invertebrates	LC₅₀, 48 hours: 133 mg B/L, Daphnia magna
Acute toxicity - aquatic plants	EC₅₀, 72 hours: 40 mg B/L, Selenastrum capricornutum
Chronic aquatic toxicity	
Toxicity to terrestrial plants	Boron is an essential micronutrient for healthy growth of plants, however, it can be harmful to boron sensitive plants in higher quantities. Care should be taken to minimise the amount of borate product released to the environment.
sistence and degradability	

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** The product is biodegradable but it must not be discharged into drains without permission from the authorities. The product is degraded completely by photochemical oxidation.

## Ecological information on ingredients.

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	Persistence and degradability	The product is biodegradable.
	Biodegradation	Water - Degradation (%) 90 - 100%: 10 days Passes OECD test(s) for ready biodegradability. Material is ultimately biodegradable (reaches > 70% biodegradation in OECD test(s) for inherent biodegradability).
		DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE
	Persistence and degradability	Boron is naturally occurring and ubiquitous in the environment. Borax pentahydrate decomposes in the environment to natural borate.
12.3. Bioaco	umulative potential	
Bioaccumula	ative potential The prod	uct does not contain any substances expected to be bioaccumulating.
Ecological ir	formation on ingredients.	
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	Bioaccumulative potential	Not potentially bioaccumulative
	Partition coefficient	log Pow: -1.36
		DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE
	Bioaccumulative potential	The product is not bioaccumulating.
12.4. Mobilit	y in soil	
Mobility	•	uct is soluble in water. Volatilization from natural bodies of water or moist soil is not I to be an important fate process.
Ecological ir	formation on ingredients.	
		ETHANEDIOL
	Mobility	The product is soluble in water. Volatilization from natural bodies of water or moist soil is not expected to be an important fate process. Potential for mobility in soil is very high.
	Adsorption/desorption coefficient	Water - Koc: ~ 1 @ °C
	Henry's law constant	~ 8.05E-09 atm m3/mol @ 25°C
		DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE
	Mobility	The product is soluble in water. Potential for mobility in soil is very high.
12.5. Result	s of PBT and vPvB assessm	ent
Results of P	BT and vPvB This proc	luct does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

assessment

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**Results of PBT and vPvB** This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria. assessment

### DISODIUM TETRABORATE PENTAHYDRATE

Results of PBT and vPvB	PBT assessment does not apply.
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#### 12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects Not applicable.

#### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information	This product, when being disposed of in its unused and uncontaminated state should be treated as a hazardous waste according to EC Directive 2008/98/EC. Any disposal practices must be in compliance with all national and provincial laws and any municipal or local by-laws governing hazardous waste. For used, contaminated and residual materials additional evaluations may be required.
Disposal methods	Residues and empty containers should be taken care of as hazardous waste according to

# local and national provisions. Avoid the spillage or runoff entering drains, sewers or watercourses.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

General	The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).
Road transport notes	Not classified.
Rail transport notes	Not classified.
Sea transport notes	Not classified.
Air transport notes	Not classified.
14.1. UN number	
Not applicable.	
14.2. UN proper shipping name	
Not applicable.	

### 14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

### 14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

### 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant No.

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

## 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

## Transport in bulk according to Not applicable. Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

## SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture	
National regulations	Control of Pollution (Special Waste) Regulations 1980 (as amended). The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No. 716).
EU legislation	Dangerous Substances Directive 67/548/EEC. Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) (as amended). Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as amended).
Guidance	Workplace Exposure Limits EH40. CHIP for everyone HSG228. Introduction to Local Exhaust Ventilation HS(G)37. Approved Classification and Labelling Guide (Sixth edition) L131.

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

Revision comments	NOTE: Lines within the margin indicate significant changes from the previous revision.
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Revision date	29/06/2018
Revision	3
Supersedes date	14/02/2017
SDS status	Approved.
Hazard statements in full	<ul> <li>H290 May be corrosive to metals.</li> <li>H302 Harmful if swallowed.</li> <li>H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.</li> <li>H315 Causes skin irritation.</li> <li>H318 Causes serious eye damage.</li> <li>H319 Causes serious eye irritation.</li> <li>H332 Harmful if inhaled.</li> <li>H335 May cause respiratory irritation.</li> <li>H360FD May damage fertility if swallowed. May damage the unborn child if swallowed.</li> <li>H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.</li> <li>H373 May cause damage to organs (Kidneys) through prolonged or repeated exposure if swallowed.</li> <li>H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.</li> <li>H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.</li> </ul>

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