SAFETY DATA SHEET

ECONOCLEAN

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

Product name: ECONOCLEAN

Synonyms: ECL

Use / description of product: Liquid. Irritant. The regulatory information is dependent upon the concentration limit of the

specific substance.

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2. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Hazardous ingredients: TEGO BETAIN F. 1-10%

EINECS: 263-058-8 CAS: 61789-40-0

[Xi] R36/37/38

• ALCOHOL ETHOXYLATE WITH 6.5MEO 95.000% <1%

CAS: 68439-45-2 [Xn] R22; [Xi] R41

• SODIUM HYDROXIDE <1%

EINECS: 215-185-5 CAS: 1310-73-2

[C] R35

3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Main hazards: Irritating to eyes and skin.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (SYMPTOMS)

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

Eye contact: There may be pain and redness. The eyes may water profusely. There may be severe pain. The

vision may become blurred. May cause permanent damage.

Ingestion: There may be soreness and redness of the mouth and throat. Nausea and stomach pain may

occur

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest.

4. FIRST AID MEASURES (ACTION)

Skin contact: Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. Wash

immediately with plenty of soap and water.

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Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist examination.

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

drink immediately. Consult a doctor.

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

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

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

containers.

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: Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do

not attempt to take action without suitable protective clothing - see section 8 of SDS. 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 direct contact with the substance. Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Avoid

the formation or spread of mists in the air.

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

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

Hazardous ingredients: SODIUM HYDROXIDE

STEL 2 mg/m3

Engineering measures: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

Respiratory protection: Self-contained breathing apparatus must be available in case of emergency.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Tightly fitting safety goggles. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Protective clothing.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

State: Liquid

Colour: Pale yellow

Odour: Barely perceptible odour

Solubility in water: Miscible

Viscosity: Non-viscous

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Boiling point/range°C: 100

Vapour pressure: 17.5mm Hg@20°C

Relative density: 1.042

pH: 10.4

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

Hazardous ingredients: SODIUM HYDROXIDE

IPR MUS LD50 40 mg/kg ORL RBT LDLO 500 mg/kg

Chronic toxicity: Irritating to eyes and skin. May cause irritation of the mouth and upper digestive tract. May

cause irritation in the nose and upper respiratory tract. Long Term: Ingredients are not

mutagenic or carcinogenic.

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

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: 1824 ADR Class: 8

Shipping name: SODIUM HYDROXIDE SOLUTION

Labelling: 8 Hazard ID no: 80



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IMDG / IMO

UN no: 1824 Class: 8

Packing group: II EmS: F-A,S-B

Marine pollutant: NO Labelling: 8

IATA / ICAO

UN no: 1824 Class: 8

Packing group: II Packing instructions: 813

Labelling: 8

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Hazard symbols: Irritant.



Risk phrases: R36/38: Irritating to eyes and skin.

Safety phrases: S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical

advice.

S60: This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

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: R36/37/38: Irritating to eyes, respiratory system and skin.

R22: Harmful if swallowed.

R41: Risk of serious damage to eyes.

R35: Causes severe burns.

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

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.