



Safety Data Sheet according to WHS Regulations

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1 Identification

Product Name: FILTRITE SPA WATER SOFTENER

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restriction on Use: Spa conditioner

Details of Manufacturer or Importer:

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2 Hazard(s) Identification

Hazardous Nature:

Not classified as Hazardous according to the Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS) and Safe Work Australia criteria.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods according to the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail. (7th edition)

The product is not classified, according to the Globally Harmonised System (GHS).

Signal Word None

Hazard Statements None

Precautionary Statements None

3 Composition and Information on Ingredients

Chemical Characterization: Mixtures

Description: No reportable hazardous substances or complex substances.

Hazardous Components: None

4 First Aid Measures

Inhalation: If inhaled, remove to fresh air. Seek medical attention if breathing problems develop.

Skin Contact:

In case of skin contact, immediately remove contaminated clothing and wash affected areas with water and soap. Seek medical attention if symptoms occur.

Eye Contact:

In case of eye contact, rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Seek medical attention.

Ingestion:

If swallowed do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water. Do not give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Seek medical attention.

Symptoms Caused by Exposure:

Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation, coughing and sneezing. Skin Contact: May cause skin irritation, especially if the skin is moist.

Eye Contact: May cause mild irritation, redness and pain.

Ingestion: May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

5 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable Extinguishing Media: Water fog, fine water spray, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical powder.

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Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical:

Hazardous combustion products include oxides of carbon and sodium.

This product is not flammable.

Containers close to fire should be removed only if safe to do so. Use water spray to cool fire exposed containers.

Special Protective Equipment and Precautions for Fire Fighters:

When fighting a major fire wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective equipment.

6 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures:

Wear approved dust/particulate filter respirator and full protective clothing. Evacuate all non-essential personnel from affected area. Do not breathe dust. Ensure adequate ventilation. Avoid generating dust.

Environmental Precautions:

In the event of a major spill, prevent spillage from entering drains or water courses.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Cleaning Up:

Stop leak if safe to do so. Vacuum or sweep up spill and place in suitable containers for reuse or disposal. Avoid generating dust.

7 Handling and Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling:

Use of safe work practices are recommended to avoid eye or skin contact and inhalation of dust. Food, beverages and tobacco products should not be stored or consumed where this material is in use. Always wash hands before smoking, eating, drinking or using the toilet. Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. Provide eyewash fountains and safety showers in close proximity to points of potential exposure.

Conditions for Safe Storage:

Store in a cool, dry and well ventilated area and out of direct sunlight. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Protect from moisture and excessive heat. Keep away from acids and oxidising agents.

8 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

Exposure Standards:

The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.

Engineering Controls: Ensure adequate ventilation of the working area.

Respiratory Protection:

Where an inhalation risk exists, wear a Class P1 (particulate) respirator. At high dust levels, wear a powered air purifying respirator (PAPR) with Class P3 (Particulate) filter or an air-line respirator or a full-face Class P3 (particulate) respirator. See Australian/New Zealand Standards AS/NZS 1715 and 1716 for more information.

Skin Protection:

PVC, PVA, nitrile, neoprene, rubber or vinyl gloves. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 2161 for more information. When selecting gloves for use against certain chemicals, the degradation resistance, permeation rate and permeation breakthrough time should be considered.

Occupational protective clothing (depending on conditions in which it has to be used, in particular as regards the period for which it is worn, which shall be determined on the basis of the seriousness of the risk, the frequency of exposure to the risk, the characteristics of the workstation of each worker and the performance of the protective clothing). See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 4501 for more information.

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Eye and Face Protection:

Eye and face protectors for protection against dust. See Australian/New Zealand Standard AS/NZS 1337 for more information.

9 Physical and Chemical Properties

Appearance:

Form: Granular powder Colour: White to light pink

Odour: Rose like
Odour Threshold: Not determined.

pH-Value at 20 °C: 8.5 - 9.5 (1% aqueous solution)

Melting point/freezing point:Initial Boiling Point/Boiling Range:
No information available
No information available

Flash Point: Not applicable

Flammability: Product is not flammable.

Auto-ignition Temperature: Not applicable

Decomposition Temperature: No information available

Explosion Limits:

Lower: Not applicable **Upper:** Not applicable

Vapour Pressure: No information available

Density at 20 °C: 2.2 g/cm³

Relative Density:No information availableVapour Density:No information availableEvaporation Rate:No information available

Solubility in Water: Soluble in water

Partition Coefficient (n-octanol/water): No information available **Viscosity:** No information available

% Volatiles by Volume: 0.5 - 1 %

10 Stability and Reactivity

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions: Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.

Chemical Stability: Stable at ambient temperature and under normal conditions of use.

Conditions to Avoid: Moisture and excessive heat. **Incompatible Materials:** Acids and oxidising agents.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Oxides of carbon and sodium.

11 Toxicological Information

Toxicity:

LD₅₀/LC₅₀ Values Relevant for Classification: No information available

Acute Health Effects

Inhalation: May cause respiratory tract irritation, coughing and sneezing.

Skin: May cause skin irritation, especially if the skin is moist.

Eye: May cause mild irritation, redness and pain. **Ingestion:** May cause gastrointestinal irritation.

Skin Corrosion / Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Serious Eye Damage / Irritation: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

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Respiratory or Skin Sensitisation: No sensitising effects known.

Germ Cell Mutagenicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenicity: This product does NOT contain any IARC listed chemicals.

Reproductive Toxicity: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Single Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Specific Target Organ Toxicity (STOT) - Repeated Exposure:

Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration Hazard: Based on classification principles, the classification criteria are not met.

Chronic Health Effects: Repeated or prolonged exposure may cause drying and cracking of the skin.

Existing Conditions Aggravated by Exposure: No information available

Additional toxicological information: No information available

12 Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity: No further relevant information available.

Aquatic toxicity: No further relevant information available.

Persistence and Degradability: No further relevant information available.

Bioaccumulative Potential: No further relevant information available.

Mobility in Soil: No further relevant information available.

Other adverse effects: No further relevant information available.

13 Disposal Considerations

Disposal Methods and Containers: Dispose according to applicable local and state government regulations.

Special Precautions for Landfill or Incineration:

Please consult your state Land Waste Management Authority for more information.

14 Transport Information

UN Number Not regulated
Proper Shipping Name Not regulated
Dangerous Goods Class Not regulated
Packing Group: Not regulated

15 Regulatory Information

Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances:

CAS: 144-55-8 | Sodium bicarbonate

Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons (SUSMP) - Poison Schedule:

Not Scheduled.

16 Other Information

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Abbreviations and acronyms:

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC₅₀: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD₅₀: Lethal dose, 50 percent

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IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit TWA: Time Weighted Average

NES: National Exposure Standard (Safe Work Australia - Workplace Exposure Standards For Airborne Contaminants)

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