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SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

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EAN

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1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against

Use of the substance/mixture

Fertiliser-tablet in aquariums: Mixture of inorganic salts for adjustment of water parameters in aquarium water. The product is intended for consumer use. The product is intended for professional use.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GB CLP Regulation

This mixture is not classified as hazardous in accordance with GB CLP Regulation.

Voluntary safety information following the Safety Data Sheet format according to Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (REACH).

2.2. Label elements



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Additional advice on labelling

According to EC directives or the corresponding national regulations the product does not have to be labelled.

2.3. Other hazards

No information available.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical characterization

Tablets. Mixture of inorganic salts with organic substances.

Relevant ingredients

none (according to UK REACH Regulation)

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

Brush off contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing prior to re-use.

After inhalation

In case of inhalation of decomposition products, affected person should be moved into fresh air and kept still. Provide fresh air. When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice.

After contact with skin

Wash with plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

After contact with eyes

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

After ingestion

Observe risk of aspiration if vomiting occurs. Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. When in doubt or if symptoms are observed, get medical advice.

4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

no restriction

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-flammable. In case of fire may be liberated: Sulphur oxides, Hydrogen chloride (HCI), Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Carbon monoxide.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

Additional information

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.



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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General advice

Avoid dust formation. Do not breathe dust. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

For non-emergency personnel

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection! Remove persons to safety.

For emergency responders

Use personal protection equipment. Cover drains. Avoid dust formation.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment

Retain contaminated washing water and dispose it.

For cleaning up

Large amounts of spillages: Use approved industrial vacuum cleaner for removal. Small amounts of spillages: Take up dust-free and set down dust-free. Clear contaminated areas thoroughly. Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

Other information

Take up mechanically. Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7 Personal protection equipment: see section 8 Disposal: see section 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

Keep out of the reach of children.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

No special fire protection measures are necessary.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands before breaks and after work.

Further information on handling

Handle and open container with care. Put lids on containers immediately after use.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep the packing dry and well sealed to prevent contamination and absorbtion of humidity. Moisture-sensitive. Recommended storage temperature: at room temperature. Protect from moisture. Keep away from direct sunlight.

Hints on joint storage

Never allow product to get in contact with water during storage.

Further information on storage conditions

No special measures are necessary. The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

7.3. Specific end use(s)



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SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limits (EH40)

| CAS No | Substance | ppm | mg/m³ | fibres/ml | Category | Origin |
|-----------|------------------------------|-----|-------|-----------|---------------|--------|
| 9004-34-6 | Cellulose (pure), respirable | - | 4 | | TWA (8 h) | WEL |
| 57-50-1 | Sucrose | - | 10 | | TWA (8 h) | WEL |
| | | - | 20 | | STEL (15 min) | WEL |

Additional advice on limit values

To date, no national critical limit values exist.

When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff.

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

No special technical protective measures are necessary.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Eye protection: not required. Avoid contact with eyes.

Hand protection

Hand protection is not required. Avoid contact with skin.

Skin protection

Body protection: not required.

Respiratory protection

Usually no personal respirative protection necessary. In the case of dust or aerosol formation use respirator with filter model P2 (according to DIN 3181, 1980).

Thermal hazards

Thermal decomposition can lead to the escape of irritating gases and vapours. In case of fire may be liberated: Sulphur oxides, Hydrogen chloride (HCI), Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon dioxide (CO2), Carbon monoxide.

Environmental exposure controls

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

| Physical state: | solid |
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| Colour: | green |
| Odour: | odourless |
| Odour threshold: | not applicable |
| Melting point/freezing point: | > 150 °C |
| Boiling point or initial boiling point and | not determined |
| boiling range: | |
| Flammability: | This material is combustible, but will not |
| | ignite readily. |
| | not applicable |
| Lower explosion limits: | not determined |
| Upper explosion limits: | not determined |
| Flash point: | not applicable |
| Auto-ignition temperature: | No data available |



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| Decomposition temperature: | not determined | |
| pH-Value: | not applicable | |
| Viscosity / kinematic: | not applicable | |
| Water solubility: | partially soluble | |
| Solubility in other solvents | | |
| not determined | | |
| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water: | not applicable | |
| Vapour pressure: | not determined | |
| Density: | not determined | |
| Relative density: | not determined | |
| Bulk density: | not determined | |
| Relative vapour density: | not applicable | |
| Particle characteristics: | not determined | |
| 9.2. Other information | | |
| Information with regard to physical hazard classes | | |
| Explosive properties | | |
| No ignition, explosion, self-heating or visible deco | | |
| Sustaining combustion: | Not sustaining combustion | |
| Self-ignition temperature | | |
| Solid: | not determined | |
| Gas: | not applicable | |
| Oxidizing properties | | |
| Not oxidising. | | |
| Other safety characteristics | | |
| Evaporation rate: | not applicable | |
| Solvent separation test: | not applicable | |
| Solvent content: Solid content: | 0 % 100,00 % | |
| Sublimation point: | No data available | |
| Softening point: | not applicable | |
| Pour point: | not applicable | |
| Viscosity / dynamic: | not applicable | |
| Flow time: | not applicable | |
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SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

No hazardous reaction when handled and stored according to provisions.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is chemically stable under recommended conditions of storage, use and temperature. Moisture-sensitive.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No known hazardous reactions.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

UV-radiation/sunlight. Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods. Decomposition under influence of moisture is highly accelerated by heating.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Humidity

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hydrochloric gas, Sulphur oxides, Nitrogen oxides (NOx), Carbon dioxide, Carbon monoxide. Thermal decomposition can lead to the escape of irritating gases and vapours.



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SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in GB CLP Regulation

Toxicocinetics, metabolism and distribution

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

Acute toxicity

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

ATEmix calculated

ATE (oral) > 2000 mg/kg; ATE (dermal) > 2000 mg/kg; ATE (inhalation vapour) > 20 mg/l; ATE (inhalation dust/mist) > 12,5 mg/l

Irritation and corrosivity

Skin corrosion/irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Sensitising effects

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

Information on likely routes of exposure

Inhalation of dust/particles, Skin contact, Eye contact, Ingestion

Specific effects in experiment on an animal

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

Additional information on tests

The mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP].

Practical experience

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

Other information

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself.

Further information

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Health injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

There are no data available on the preparation/mixture itself. According to the criteria of the European classification and labelling system, the substance/the product has not to be labelled as "dangerous for the environment". Ecological injuries are not known or expected under normal use.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

The product has not been tested. The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to



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inorganic substances. The organic part of the product is biodegradable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

The product has not been tested.

12.4. Mobility in soil

The product has not been tested.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to UK REACH.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

12.7. Other adverse effects

No information available.

Further information

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No special environmental measures are necessary.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

List of Wastes Code - residues/unused products

WASTES NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE LIST; gases in pressure containers and discarded chemicals; discarded chemicals other than those mentioned in 16 05 06, 16 05 07 or 16 05 08

List of Wastes Code - used product

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List of Wastes Code - contaminated packaging

150102 WASTE PACKAGING; ABSORBENTS, WIPING CLOTHS, FILTER MATERIALS AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED; packaging (including separately collected municipal packaging waste); plastic packaging

Contaminated packaging

Wash with plenty of water. Completely emptied packages can be recycled. If recycling is not practicable, dispose of in compliance with the Environmental Protection (Duty of Care) Regulations 1991.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1. UN number or ID number:No14.2. UN proper shipping name:No14.3. Transport hazard class(es):No14.4. Packing group:NoInland waterways transport (ADN)14.1. UN number or ID number:NoNo

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Marine transport (IMDG) <u>14.1. UN number or ID number:</u> 14.2. UN proper shipping name:

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15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

EU regulatory information

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 75

Information according to Directive 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III):

Not subject to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III)

Additional information

The mixture is classified as not hazardous according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP].

National regulatory information

Water hazard class (D):

1 - slightly hazardous to water

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road) IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods IATA: International Air Transport Association GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service LC50: Lethal concentration, 50% LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

Key literature references and sources for data

Safety Data Sheet, ECHA

Further Information

Classification for mixtures and used evaluation method according to regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 [CLP]. The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material. The



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receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.

(The data for the relevant ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)