

# Section 1: Identification of the Substance/Mixture and of Supplier

Product name: PERFORM

**NZFSA APPROVED C31** 

Recommended use: Liquid warewashing detergent

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### Section 2: Hazards Identification







ERMA Approval Code: HSR002526

Hazard Classification: 6.1D, 8.1A, 8.2B, 8.3A, 9.3B

# **Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

Product Description: Liquid warewashing detergent Hazardous Component(s): POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

**CAS Number** 1310-58-3 **Proportion** 10 - 30%

Risk Phrases R41 – Risk of serious damage to eyes

R35 – Causes severe burns

Safety Phrases S 1/2 - Keep locked up and out of reach of children.

S24/25 – Avoid contact with eyes and skin

S26 - In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek

medical advice.

S37/39 – Wear suitable protective clothing and gloves.

S45 - In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show

the label whenever possible)

### **Section 4: First Aid Measures**

**Show this Safety Data Sheet to a Doctor** 



**Inhalation:** Remove to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.

**Skin Contact:** Remove/take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

**Eye Contact:** Irrigate eyes with generous quantities of water for 15 minutes. Remove contact lenses, if

present and easy to do. Seek immediate medical attention.

**Ingestion:** Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting. Give a glass of water to effectively dilute the

product. Seek immediate medical attention

**Notes for the Doctor:** Treat symptomatically and as for strongly alkaline corrosive material.

For advice, contact the Poisons Information Centre 0800 764 766 or a doctor

# **Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures**

Specific Hazards:

Prduct is non-combustible. In a fire, overheated drums may rapture but the product will not support combustion however the packaging materrial may burn to emit noxious

fumes.

**Suitable Extinguishing** 

Media:

Fire-fighting advice:

Extinguish fires with water spray, foam, carbon dioxide or dry chemical powder.

Fire fighters should wear a self contained breathing apparatus and full protective clothing along with protective equipment.

#### Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

**Emergency Procedures** 

Spillage's are slippery. Keep spectators away – rope off the area. Avoid accidents, clean up immediately. Ensure adequate ventilation. Wear protective equipment to prevent skin and eye contamination.

Methods and Materials for Containment and Clean Up

Contain the spill and prevent run off into confined areas, drains and waterways.

**Large spills:** absorb with dry earth, sand or other similar material. Collect and seal in properly labeled drums for disposal in an area approved by local authority by-laws. Wash area down with excess water to remove residual material.

**Small spills**: may be safely mopped up and area washed with excess water. Incineration of disposed material is not recommended, as it is unlikely to adequately burn.

## **Section 7: Handling and Storage**

#### Handling:

- Ensure an eye bath and safety shower are available and ready for use.
- Observe good personal hygiene practices and recommended procedures.
- Do not breathe in mist/spray.
- · Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
- Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- Store away from foodstuffs.
- Avoid eye and skin contact.

#### Storage:

- Keep only in original container.
- Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area.
- · Keep containers tightly closed when not in use.



- Inspect regularly for deficiencies such as damage or leaks.
- Protect against physical damage.
- Store away from electrical switches and paintwork.
- Transport and store upright

# **Section 8: Exposure Controls/Personal Protection**

Occupational Exposure

Limits:

No value assigned for this specific material by the New Zealand Occupational Safety and

Health Service (OSH).

**Engineering Control** 

Measures:

**Equipment:** 

Ensure adequate ventilation.

**Personal Protective** 

Safety glasses with side shields.

Rubber gloves

Wear safety footwear

Overalls.

## **Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties**

Physical state: Low viscosity liquid

Colour: Violet purple
Odour: Boling/melting Point: Not available
Specific Gravity/Bulk S.G. 1.07

Vapour Pressure: 17.5mm HG at 20°C

Flash Point (°C):

Percent Volatilise: 70.0% at 100°C

Flammability Limits: None

**Autoignition Temperature:** There is no fire hazard from this product or any of its ingredients.

# **Section 10: Stability and Reactivity**

**Stability:** Product is stable under normal conditions of use, storage and temperature.

Conditions to Avoid Avoid boliers, heaters, hot pipes and sunlight. Avoid breathig mists and sprays.

Incompatible Materials Avoid soft metals, including aluminium and galvanised surfaces.

Do not mix with ammomium compounds, as toxic ammonia gas will be produced.

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products:** 

Not flammable, but may liberate flammable Hydrogen gas on contact with soft

metals, including aluminium and galvanised surfaces

# **Section 11: Toxicological Information**

**Ingestion:** Highly corrosive - cause burns upon ingestion.

Eye contact: Corrosive to eyes, may cause severe damage

**Skin contact:** Causes severe burns upon skin contact.

**Inhalation:** Mists and sprays are capable of causing irrating when inhaled.



| <b>Section</b> | 12: | <b>Ecological</b> | Information |
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Environmental fate, persistence and degradation:

Avoid contaminating waterways.

The product is moderately strong alkaline; the pH neat is approx 13.0 – 13.8%.

Toxic to terrestrial vertebrates.

Biodegradable

# **Section 13: Disposal Considerations**

- Recycle wherever possible. Special hazard may exist specialist advice may be required.
- Consult approved Waste Management Company for disposal options.
- Treat and neutralise residue at an approved site.
- Decontaminate empty containers. Observe all label safeguards until containers are cleaned and destroyed.
- Puncture containers to prevent re-use and bury at an authorised landfill.

### **Section 14: Transport Information**

Road and Rail Transport: Classified as a Dangerous Good according to NZS 5433:1999 Transport of Dangerous

Goods on Land.

UN No: 1814 Class-primary 8 Packing Group:

Proper Shipping Name: POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

Hazchem Code:

2R

Marine Transport: Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous

Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; DANGEROUS GOODS

UN No: 1814 Class-primary 8 Packing Group: ||

Proper Shipping Name: POTASSIUM HYDROXIDE

Section 15: Regulatory Information

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## **Section 16: Other Information**

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