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# Material Safety Data Sheet According to 91/155 EEC

Reviewed on 21.02.2005

### 1 Identification of substance:

· Product details: Reagent for water analysis

· Product name: Silica LR Set (Vario Silica Citric Acid F10)

· Catalog number: 251 411 Model: Si-1 TP (LR)

· Supplier:

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### 2 Composition/Data on components:

- · Chemical characterization:
- · CAS No. Designation:

77-92-9 citric acid

- · Identification number(s):
- · EINECS Number: 201-069-1

## 3 Hazards identification

· Hazard designation:



Xi Irritant

• Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment R 36 Irritating to eyes.

### 4 First aid measures

- · After inhalation Supply fresh air and call for doctor for safety reasons.
- · After skin contact Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
- · After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

Call a doctor immediately.

· After swallowing

Drink copious amounts of water, induce vomiting.

Seek medical treatment.

· The following symptoms may occur:

after swallowing:

sickness

diarrhoea

mucous membrane irritation

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cramps

### 5 Fire fighting measures

· Suitable extinguishing agents

Water

Foam

Fire-extinguishing powder

· Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or resulting gases:

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

combustible

· Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

· Additional information

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

#### 6 Accidental release measures

· Person-related safety precautions:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Avoid causing dust.

- · Measures for environmental protection: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
- · Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Collect mechanically.

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

### 7 Handling and storage

- · Handling
- · Information for safe handling: No special measures required.
- $\cdot \textbf{Information about protection against explosions and fires:} \ Protect \ from \ heat.$
- ·Storage
- · Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.
- · Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from metals.
- · Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store under dry conditions.

Protect from humidity and keep away from water.

Protect from the effects of light.

Storage class Not required.

### 8 Exposure controls and personal protection

- · Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.
- · Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required.
- · Additional information: The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.
- · Personal protective equipment
- · General protective and hygienic measures

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

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Take off immediately all contaminated clothing

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

- Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
- · Recommended filter device for short term use: Filter P2
- · Protection of hands:

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

· Material of gloves

nitrile rubber, NBR

Nitrile

Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

#### · Penetration time of glove material

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 6$  (480 min)

- · Eve protection: Tightly sealed safety glasses.
- · **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

### 9 Physical and chemical properties:

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· Form: · Colour: · Odour:	Powder White Odourless	
· Melting point/Melting range: · Boiling point/Boiling range:	153°C Not determined	
· Flash point:	Not applicable	
· Inflammability (solid, gaseous) · Ignition temperature:	Product is not inflammable. 345°C	
· Danger of explosion:	Product is not explosive.	
· Vapour pressure at 20°C:	< 0.1 hPa	
· Density at 20°C	1.665 g/cm <sup>3</sup>	
· Settled apparent density at 20°C 560 kg/m³		
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water at 20°C:	1330 g/l	
· pH-value (7.93 g/l) at 20°C: · Organic solvents:	2.2 0.0 %	
· Solids content:	100.0 %	

## 10 Stability and reactivity

- · Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: To avoid thermal decomposition do not overheat.
- · Materials to be avoided:

oxidizing agents

alkalis

metals

reducing agents

· Dangerous reactions Risk of dust explosion if enriched with fine dust in presence of air

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· Dangerous products of decomposition: see chapter 5

### 11 Toxicological information

- · Acute toxicity:
- · LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

77-92-9 citric acid

Oral LD50 3000 mg/kg (rat)

- · Primary irritant effect:
- · on the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- · on the eve: Irritant effect.
- · Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.

## 12 Ecological information:

- · Information about elimination (persistence and degradability):
- · Other information:

The product is easily biodegradable. CAS: 77-92-9 Citric acid: 98% / 2 d

· Behaviour in environmental systems:

77-92-9 citric acid

log P(o/w) -1.72 (20°C) (.)

- · Mobility and bioaccumulation potential: Does not accumulate in organisms
- · Ecotoxical effects:
- · Acquatic toxicity:

77-92-9 citric acid

Daphnia EC50 ~ 120 mg/l/72 h (Daphnia magna) LC50 440-760 mg/l/96h (Leuciscus idus)

- Additional ecological information:
- · CSB-value:

77-92-9 citric acid

COD 0.728 g/g (.)

· BSB5-value:

77-92-9 citric acid

BSB5 0.526 g/g (.)

· General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Assessment by list): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.

Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to decreased pH-values. A low pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably increased, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.

## 13 Disposal considerations

- · Product:
- · Recommendation Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- · European waste catalogue

16 05 08 discarded organic chemicals consisting of or containing dangerous substances

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- · Uncleaned packagings:
- · Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- · Recommended cleaning agent: Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

## 14 Transport information

- · ADR/GGVSE:
- · IMDG/GGVSee:
- · EMS-Number:
- · ICAO/IATA:
- · Transport/Additional information: Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

## 15 Regulatory information

· Designation according to EC guidelines:

The product has been classified and labelled in accordance with EC Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV)

· Code letter and hazard designation of product:

Xi Irritant

· Risk phrases:

36 Irritating to eyes.

· Safety phrases:

26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

## 16 Other information

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

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#### 2 Composition/Data on components:

· **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with harmless additions.

· Dangerous components:			
CAS: 7681-57-4 EINECS: 231-673-0 EC Number: 016-063-00-2		<b>X</b> Xn; R 22-31-41	60-70%
CAS: 55-55-0 EINECS: 200-237-1 EC Number: 650-031-00-4		Xn, ¥ N; R 22-43-48/22-50/53	25-30%
CAS: 7758-98-7 EINECS: 231-847-6 EC Number: 029-004-00-0	copper sulphate	Xn, ¥ N; R 22-36/38-50/53	0.1-1.0%

<sup>·</sup> Additional information For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

### 3 Hazards identification

· Hazard designation:



Xn Harmful

N Dangerous for the environment

#### · Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

- R 22 Harmful if swallowed.
- R 31 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.
- R 41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.
- R 43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
- R 48/22 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.
- R 50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

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#### · Classification system

The classification is in line with current EC lists. It is expanded, however, by information from technical literature and by information furnished by supplier companies.

#### 4 First aid measures

#### · General information

Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.

Symptoms of poisoning may even occur after several hours; therefore medical observation for at least 48 hours after the accident.

- · After inhalation Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of symptoms.
- · After skin contact

Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

Seek medical treatment.

#### · After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

Call a doctor immediately.

#### · After swallowing

Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Instantly call for doctor.

Induce vomiting.

### · The following symptoms may occur:

after inhalation:

breathing difficulty

coughing

mucous membrane irritation

after swallowing:

gastric or intestinal trouble

irritation

· Danger risk of skin sensitization

### \* 5 Fire fighting measures

#### · Suitable extinguishing agents

Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

CO2, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

#### · Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or resulting gases:

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

Sodium oxide

#### · Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

#### · Additional information

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

#### 6 Accidental release measures

#### · Person-related safety precautions:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Avoid causing dust.

## · Measures for environmental protection:

Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.

Inform respective authorities in case product reaches water or sewage system.

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#### · Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Collect mechanically.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

## <sup>\*</sup> 7 Handling and storage

- · Handling
- · Information for safe handling: No special measures required.
- · Information about protection against explosions and fires: Protect from heat.
- ·Storage
- · Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.
- · Information about storage in one common storage facility:

Do not store together with acids.

Store away from oxidizing agents.

· Further information about storage conditions:

Store under dry conditions.

Protect from humidity and keep away from water.

Protect from the effects of light.

· Storage class Not required.

### 8 Exposure controls and personal protection

- · Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.
- · Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

### 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

OES (Great Britain) Long-term value: 5 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

- · Additional information: The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.
- · Personal protective equipment
- · General protective and hygienic measures

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Avoid contact with the eyes.

Do not eat, drink or smoke while working.

- · Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
- · Recommended filter device for short term use: Filter P2
- · Protection of hands:

Only use chemical-protective gloves with CE-labelling of category III.

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

· Material of gloves

Nitrile

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm

#### · Penetration time of glove material

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed. Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 6$  (480 min)

· Eye protection: Tightly sealed safety glasses.

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· **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

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### 9 Physical and chemical properties:

· Form: · Colour: · Odour:	Powder White Odourless
· Melting point/Melting range: · Boiling point/Boiling range:	Not determined Not determined
· Flash point:	Not applicable
· Self-inflammability:	Product is not selfigniting.
· Danger of explosion:	Product is not explosive.
· Density at 20°C	1.255 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Soluble
· pH-value (4 g/l) at 20°C:	5.3
· Solvent content: Organic solvents:	0.0 %
· Solids content:	100.0 %

# \* 10 Stability and reactivity

- · Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: strong heating
- · Materials to be avoided:

oxidizing agents

--> forms heat

acids

· Dangerous reactions

Reacts with strong acids and oxidizing agents

Contact with acids releases toxic gases

· Dangerous products of decomposition:

Carbon monoxide and carbon dioxide

Nitrogen oxides (NOx)

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

## \* 11 Toxicological information

· Acute toxicity: Quantitative data on the toxicity of the preparation are not available.

· LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:			
7681-57	7681-57-4 disodium disulphite		
Oral	LD50	1540 mg/kg (rat)	
	55-55-0 bis(4-hydroxy-N-methylanilinium) sulphate		
Oral	LD50	237 mg/kg (rat)	
Dermal	LD50	> 1000 mg/kg (rat)	
7758-98	7758-98-7 copper sulphate		
Oral	LD50	300 mg/kg (rat)	
	LDLo	50 mg/kg (human)	

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- · Primary irritant effect:
- on the skin: Irritant to skin and mucous membranes.
- on the eye: Strong irritant with the danger of severe eye injury.
- · Sensitization: Sensitization possible by skin contact.
- · Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EC Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:

Harmful Irritant

### 12 Ecological information:

- · Information about elimination (persistence and degradability):
- Other information: Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product are not available.
- · Ecotoxical effects:

· Acquat	· Acquatic toxicity:		
7681-57	7681-57-4 disodium disulphite		
	EC50	89 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna)	
	LC50	150-220 mg/l/96h (Onchorhynchus mykiss)	
55-55-0	55-55-0 bis(4-hydroxy-N-methylanilinium) sulphate		
Dermal	Daphnia EC50	0.019 mg/l/96h (Daphnia magna)	
	LC50	0.25 mg/l/96h (Pimephales promelas)	
7758-98	7758-98-7 copper sulphate		
	EC50	0.024 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna)	
	LC50	0.1-2.5 mg/l/96h (fish)	

#### Remark:

Toxic for fish:

sulphates > 7 g/l

- · Algeal toxicity: CAS No. 7681-57-4 Desmodesmus subspicatus IC50: 48mg/l/72 h
- · Bacterial toxicity: CAS No. 7681-57-4 Pseudomonas putida EC50: 56 mg/l/17 h
- · Additional ecological information:
- · CSB-value:

#### 7681-57-4 disodium disulphite

COD 0.168 g/g (.)

#### General notes:

Very toxic for aquatic organisms

copper ions at concentration below 1 mg/l

Water danger class 3 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): extremely hazardous for water.

Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system, even in small quantities.

Danger to drinking water if even extremely small quantities leak into soil.

The product contains materials that are harmful to the environment.

### \*13 Disposal considerations

- · Product:
- · Recommendation Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
- · European waste catalogue

16 05 06 laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing dangerous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals

- · Uncleaned packagings:
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

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· Recommended cleaning agen	at: Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.	(Contd. of page 5)

# \* 14 Transport information

· ADR/GGVSE: UN 3316 CHEMIE-TESTSATZ, 9, II

· IMDG/GGVSee: UN 3316 CHEMICAL KIT, 9, II

· EMS-Number: F-A S-P

·ICAO/IATA: CHEMICAL KIT, 9, UN 3316, II

# \*15 Regulatory information

· Designation according to EC guidelines:

The product has been classified and labelled in accordance with EC Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV)

· Code letter and hazard designation of product:

Xn Harmful

N Dangerous for the environment

· Hazard-determining components of labelling:

bis(4-hydroxy-N-methylanilinium) sulphate disodium disulphite

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#### · Risk phrases:

- 22 Harmful if swallowed.
- 31 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.
- 41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.
- 43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
- 48/22 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.
- 50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

#### · Safety phrases:

- 24 Avoid contact with skin.
- 26 In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- 37/39 Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.
- 57 Use appropriate container to avoid environmental contamination.
- This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste.

## 16 Other information

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

#### · Relevant R-phrases

- 22 Harmful if swallowed.
- 31 Contact with acids liberates toxic gas.
- 36/38 Irritating to eyes and skin.
- 41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.
- 43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
- 48/22 Harmful: danger of serious damage to health by prolonged exposure if swallowed.
- 50/53 Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.
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- · Data compared to the previous version altered.

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### 1 Identification of substance:

· Product details: Reagent for water analysis

· Product name: Silica LR Set (Molybdate 3 Reagent Solution)

· Catalog number: 251 411 Model: Si-1 TP (LR)

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· Emergency information:

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#### 2 Composition/Data on components:

· Description: sulfuric acid solution

· Dangerous components:

CAS: 7664-93-9 sulphuric acid EINECS: 231-639-5 EC Number: 016-020-00-8

· Additional information For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

## \* 3 Hazards identification

· Hazard designation:



C Corrosive

#### · Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment

The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

R 35 Causes severe burns.

· Classification system

The classification is in line with current EC lists. It is expanded, however, by information from technical literature and by information furnished by supplier companies.

## 4 First aid measures

- · General information Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.
- · After inhalation

Supply fresh air or oxygen; call for doctor.

In case of unconsciousness bring patient into stable side position for transport.

· After skin contact

Instantly wash with polyethylene glycol 400.

Instantly rinse with water.

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Immediate medical treatment necessary. Failure to treat burns can prevent wounds from healing.

· After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.

Call a doctor immediately.

- · After swallowing Drink copious amounts of water and provide fresh air. Instantly call for doctor.
- · The following symptoms may occur:

after inhalation:

damage to the affected mucous membranes

after swallowing:

sickness

vomiting

diarrhoea

pain

coughing

breathing difficulty

- · Danger Danger of gastric perforation.
- · Treatment Subsequent observation for pneumonia and pulmonary oedema

### 5 Fire fighting measures

· Suitable extinguishing agents

Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

CO2, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

· Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or resulting gases:

Development of hazardous combustion gases or vapours possible in the event of fire.

nitrous gases

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

· Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

· Additional information

Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

## 6 Accidental release measures

· Person-related safety precautions:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.

Ensure adequate ventilation

- Measures for environmental protection: Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
- · Measures for cleaning/collecting:

Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.

Ensure adequate ventilation.

Neutralize with diluted sodium hydroxide solution or by throwing on lime sand, lime or sodium carbonate.

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, universal binders).

#### 7 Handling and storage

- · Handling
- · Information for safe handling:

Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.

Open and handle container with care.

Prevent formation of aerosols.

Use only in well ventilated areas.

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- · Information about protection against explosions and fires: The product is not flammable
- ·Storage
- · Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers: Store in cool location.
- · Information about storage in one common storage facility: Store away from metals.
- · Further information about storage conditions:

Keep container tightly sealed.

Store under dry conditions.

Protect from humidity and keep away from water.

This product is hygroscopic.

Protect from the effects of light.

· Storage class Not required.

#### 8 Exposure controls and personal protection

- · Additional information about design of technical systems: No further data; see item 7.
- · Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:

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

- · Additional information: The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.
- · Personal protective equipment
- · General protective and hygienic measures

Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.

Take off immediately all contaminated clothing

Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.

Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

Do not eat, drink or smoke while working.

- · Breathing equipment: Use breathing protection against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.
- · Recommended filter device for short term use: Filter P2
- · Protection of hands:

Acid resistant gloves

Only use chemical-protective gloves with CE-labelling of category III.

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Preventive skin protection by use of skin-protecting agents is recommended.

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

· Material of gloves

Nitrile

nitrile rubber, NBR

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.

Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm

· Penetration time of glove material

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Value for the permeation: Level  $\geq 6$  (480 min)

- · Eve protection: Tightly sealed safety glasses.
- · Body protection: Acid resistant protective clothing

#### 9 Physical and chemical properties:

Form: FluidColour: ColourlessOdour: Odourless

· Melting point/Melting range: Not determined

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100°C
Not applicable
Product is not selfigniting.
Product is not explosive.
1.23 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
n Fully miscible
1.2
0.0 % > 70 %
< 12 %

## \*10 Stability and reactivity

- · Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: To avoid thermal decomposition do not overheat.
- · Materials to be avoided:

ammonia

alkalis

acids

metals

halogen compounds

combustible substances

organic solvents

nitriles

peroxides

#### · Dangerous reactions

Corrosive action on metals

When diluting, always add acid to water, never vice versa

Reacts with metals forming hydrogen

---> Explosive

Reacts with organic substances

Diluting or dissolving in water always causes rapid heating

· Dangerous products of decomposition:

nitrous gases

Sulphur oxides (SOx)

see chapter 5

## \*11 Toxicological information

· Acute toxicity: Quantitative data on the toxicity of the preparation are not available.

· LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:			
7664-93-9 sulphuric acid			
Oral	LD50	2140 (25%) mg/kg (rat)	
Inhalative	LC 50	510 (pure) mg/m <sup>3</sup> /2h (rat)	
	10102-40-6 sodium molybdate		
Oral	LD50	4233 mg/kg (rat)	
Dermal	LD50	> 2000 mg/kg (rat)	

- · Primary irritant effect:
- on the skin: Strong caustic effect on skin and mucous membranes.

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- · on the eye: Strong caustic effect.
- · Sensitization: No sensitizing effect known.
- · Additional toxicological information:

The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EC Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:

Corrosive

Swallowing will lead to a strong caustic effect on mouth and throat and to the danger of perforation of esophagus and stomach.

## \* 12 Ecological information:

- · Information about elimination (persistence and degradability):
- · Other information:

Quantitative data on the ecological effect of this product are not available.

Methods for the determination of biodegradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

· Ecotoxical effects:

· Acquatic toxic	· Acquatic toxicity:	
7664-93-9 sulphuric acid		
Daphnia EC50	Daphnia EC50 29 mg/l/24h (Daphnia magna)	
10102-40-6 sodium molybdate		
EC50	330 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna)	
LC50	7600 mg/l/96h (Onchorhynchus mykiss)	

#### · Remark:

Forms corrosive mixtures with water even if diluted.

Toxic for algae

- · Algeal toxicity: CAS-No. 10102-40-6: Selenastrum capricornutum IC50: > 100 mg/l/72 h
- · Bacterial toxicity: CAS-No. 10102-40-6: Pseudomonas putida EC10: 50 mg/l/18 h
- · Remark: neutralization possible
- · General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.

Must not reach sewage water or drainage ditch undiluted or unneutralized.

Rinse off of bigger amounts into drains or the aquatic environment may lead to decreased pH-values. A low pH-value harms aquatic organisms. In the dilution of the use-level the pH-value is considerably increased, so that after the use of the product the aqueous waste, emptied into drains, is only low water-dangerous.

#### \*13 Disposal considerations

- · Product:
- · Recommendation

Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.

Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.

#### · European waste catalogue

16 05 07 discarded inorganic chemicals consisting of or containing dangerous substances

- · Uncleaned packagings:
- · Recommendation: Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- · Recommended cleaning agent: Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

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## 14 Transport information

· ADR/GGVSE: UN 3316 CHEMIE-TESTSATZ, 9, II

· IMDG/GGVSee: UN 3316 CHEMICAL KIT, 9, II

·EMS-Number: F-A S-P

· ICAO/IATA: CHEMICAL KIT, 9, UN 3316, II

## \*15 Regulatory information

· Designation according to EC guidelines:

The product has been classified and labelled in accordance with EC Directives / Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (GefStoffV)

· Code letter and hazard designation of product:

C Corrosive

· Hazard-determining components of labelling:

sulphuric acid

· Risk phrases:

35 Causes severe burns.

- · Safety phrases:
- When using do not eat or drink.
- Do not breathe fumes/aerosol.
- 25 Avoid contact with eyes.
- In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.
- 36/37/39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye/face protection.
- In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

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

## 16 Other information

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

#### · Relevant R-phrases

35 Causes severe burns.

- · Department issuing data specification sheet: Department TSS, Dr. Manfred Kaul
- · Data compared to the previous version altered.

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