

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

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## 1. CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT NAME : **HARDNESS INDICATOR LOW LEVEL**

CHEMICAL DESCRIPTION : **AQUEOUS HARDNESS INDICATOR**

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## 2. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Based on our hazard evaluation, none of the substances in this product are hazardous.

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### **\*\*EMERGENCY OVERVIEW\*\***

#### **CAUTION**

May cause irritation with prolonged contact.

Do not get in eyes, on skin, on clothing. Do not take internally. Wear suitable protective clothing. Keep container tightly closed. Flush affected area with water.

May evolve oxides of carbon (COx) under fire conditions.

PRIMARY ROUTES OF EXPOSURE :

Eye, Skin

HUMAN HEALTH HAZARDS - ACUTE :

EYE CONTACT :

May cause irritation with prolonged contact.

**SKIN CONTACT :**

May cause irritation with prolonged contact.

**INGESTION :**

Not a likely route of exposure. No adverse effects expected.

**INHALATION :**

Not a likely route of exposure. No adverse effects expected.

**SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE :**

**Acute :**

A review of available data does not identify any symptoms from exposure not previously mentioned.

**Chronic :**

A review of available data does not identify any symptoms from exposure not previously mentioned.

**AGGRAVATION OF EXISTING CONDITIONS :**

A review of available data does not identify any worsening of existing conditions.

<b>4.</b>	<b>FIRST AID MEASURES</b>
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**EYE CONTACT :**

Flush affected area with water. If symptoms develop, seek medical advice.

**SKIN CONTACT :**

Flush affected area with water. If symptoms develop, seek medical advice.

**INGESTION :**

Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. If conscious, washout mouth and give water to drink. If symptoms develop, seek medical advice.

**INHALATION :**

Remove to fresh air, treat symptomatically. If symptoms develop, seek medical advice.

**NOTE TO PHYSICIAN :**

Based on the individual reactions of the patient, the physician's judgement should be used to control symptoms and clinical condition.

<b>5.</b>	<b>FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES</b>
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**FLASH POINT :** > 212 °F / > 100 °C ( PMCC )

**LOWER EXPLOSION LIMIT :** Not flammable

UPPER EXPLOSION LIMIT : Not flammable

EXTINGUISHING MEDIA :

Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire.

FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD :

May evolve oxides of carbon (COx) under fire conditions

SPECIAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR FIRE FIGHTING :

In case of fire, wear a full face positive-pressure self contained breathing apparatus and protective suit.

<b>6.</b>	<b>ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES</b>
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PERSONAL PRECAUTIONS :

Restrict access to area as appropriate until clean-up operations are complete. Stop or reduce any leaks if it is safe to do so. Do not touch spilled material. Ventilate spill area if possible. Use personal protective equipment recommended in Section 8 (Exposure Controls/Personal Protection).

METHODS FOR CLEANING UP :

SMALL SPILLS: Soak up spill with absorbent material. Place residues in a suitable, covered, properly labeled container. Wash affected area.

ENVIRONMENTAL PRECAUTIONS :

Do not contaminate surface water.

<b>7.</b>	<b>HANDLING AND STORAGE</b>
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HANDLING :

Avoid eye and skin contact. Do not take internally. Ensure all containers are labelled. Keep the containers closed when not in use.

STORAGE CONDITIONS :

Store the containers tightly closed.

<b>8.</b>	<b>EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION</b>
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OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS :

This product does not contain any substance that has an established exposure limit.

ENGINEERING MEASURES :

General ventilation is recommended.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION :**

Respiratory protection is not normally needed.

**HAND PROTECTION :**

Neoprene gloves, Nitrile gloves, Butyl gloves, PVC gloves

**SKIN PROTECTION :**

Wear standard protective clothing.

**EYE PROTECTION :**

Wear chemical splash goggles.

**HYGIENE RECOMMENDATIONS :**

Keep an eye wash fountain available. Keep a safety shower available. If clothing is contaminated, remove clothing and thoroughly wash the affected area. Launder contaminated clothing before reuse.

**HUMAN EXPOSURE CHARACTERIZATION :**

Based on our recommended product application and personal protective equipment, the potential human exposure is: Low

<b>9.</b>	<b>PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES</b>
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PHYSICAL STATE	Liquid
APPEARANCE	Violet
ODOR	None
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1 @ 77 °F / 25 °C
DENSITY	8.3 lb/gal
SOLUBILITY IN WATER	Complete
pH (100 %)	3.0 – 4.0
VAPOR PRESSURE	Same as water
EVAPORATION RATE	Same as water

<b>10.</b>	<b>STABILITY AND REACTIVITY</b>
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**STABILITY :**

Stable under normal conditions.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION :**

Hazardous polymerization will not occur.

CONDITIONS TO AVOID :  
Freezing temperatures.

MATERIALS TO AVOID :  
None known.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS :  
Under fire conditions: Oxides of Carbon

<b>11.</b>	<b>TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
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No toxicity studies have been conducted on this product.

CARCINOGENICITY :  
None of the substances in this product are listed as carcinogens by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), or the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists (ACGIH).

<b>12.</b>	<b>ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION</b>
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ECOTOXICOLOGICAL EFFECTS :

Toxicity studies have not been conducted on this product.

The potential environmental hazard is: Low

<b>13.</b>	<b>DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS</b>
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Consult state or local regulation for any treatment or disposal requirements. For disposal, contact a properly licensed waste treatment, storage, disposal or recycling facility.

<b>14.</b>	<b>TRANSPORT INFORMATION</b>
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LAND TRANSPORT :

Proper Shipping Name :	PRODUCT IS NOT REGULATED DURING TRANSPORTATION
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AIR TRANSPORT (ICAO/IATA) :

Proper Shipping Name :	PRODUCT IS NOT REGULATED DURING
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TRANSPORTATION

MARINE TRANSPORT (IMDG/IMO) :

Proper Shipping Name :

PRODUCT IS NOT REGULATED DURING  
TRANSPORTATION

<b>15.</b>	<b>REGULATORY INFORMATION</b>
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NATIONAL REGULATIONS, USA :

OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION RULE, 29 CFR 1910.1200 :

Based on our hazard evaluation, none of the substances in this product are hazardous.

SARA/SUPERFUND AMENDMENTS AND REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1986 (TITLE III) - SECTIONS 302, 311, 312, AND 313 :

SECTIONS 311 AND 312 - MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET REQUIREMENTS (40 CFR 370) :

Our hazard evaluation has found that this product is not hazardous under 29 CFR 1910.1200.

FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT, CLEAN WATER ACT, 40 CFR 401.15 / formerly Sec. 307, 40 CFR / formerly Sec. 311 :

None of the substances are specifically listed in the regulation.

CALIFORNIA PROPOSITION 65 :

This product does not contain substances which require warning under California Proposition 65.

<b>16.</b>	<b>OTHER INFORMATION</b>
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