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# SAFETY DATA SHEET CONCENTRATED ACID DESCALER

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

#### 1.1. Product identifier

**Product name** CONCENTRATED ACID DESCALER

Internal identification 083062X5

Container size 2x5L

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

Identified uses Descaler.

# 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Cleenol Group Ltd

> Neville House Beaumont Road Banbury

Oxon OX16 1RB

UK

Tel: +44 (0)1295 251721 sales@cleenol.co.uk

# 1.4. Emergency telephone number

**Emergency telephone** In case of a medical emergency following exposure to a chemical, call NHS Direct in England

or Wales 0845 46 47 or NHS 24 in Scotland 08454 24 24 24 (UK only).

# SECTION 2: Hazards identification

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards Not Classified

Health hazards Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 STOT SE 3 - H335

Not Classified **Environmental hazards** 

# 2.2. Label elements

# Hazard pictograms





Signal word Danger

Hazard statements H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

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**Precautionary statements** P260 Do not breathe vapour/ spray.

P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection. P301+P330+P331 IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.

P303+P361+P353 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water or shower.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove

contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P363 Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Contains HYDROCHLORIC ACID ...%

Supplementary precautionary

P261 Avoid breathing vapour/ spray.

statements

P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling. P271 Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.

P304+P340 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.

P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/ doctor.
P312 Call a POISON CENTRE/doctor if you feel unwell.
P321 Specific treatment (see medical advice on this label).

P403+P233 Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.

P405 Store locked up.

P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

# 2.3. Other hazards

#### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2. Mixtures

HYDROCHLORIC ACID ...% 10-30%

CAS number: 7647-01-0 EC number: 231-595-7 REACH registration number: 01-

2119484862-27-XXXX

Classification

Skin Corr. 1B - H314 Eye Dam. 1 - H318 STOT SE 3 - H335

The full text for all hazard statements is displayed in Section 16.

#### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. Keep affected person under

observation. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

**Ingestion** Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Give a few small glasses of water

or milk to drink. Get medical attention if any discomfort continues.

Skin contact Remove contaminated clothing and rinse skin thoroughly with water.

Eye contact Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids

wide apart. Continue to rinse. Get medical attention immediately.

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

**Inhalation** May cause respiratory irritation.

Ingestion Corrosive. Harmful if swallowed. May cause chemical burns in mouth, oesophagus and

stomach.

**Skin contact** Causes severe burns.

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Eye contact Causes serious eye damage.

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

Notes for the doctor No specific recommendations.

**Specific treatments** Treat symptomatically.

#### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

None known.

# 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards Corrosive gases or vapours.

# 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protective actions during

firefighting

Avoid breathing fire gases or vapours. Fight fire with normal precautions from a reasonable

distance.

Special protective equipment

for firefighters

Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective

clothing.

#### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of vapours. Take care as floors

and other surfaces may become slippery. Do not touch or walk into spilled material.

# 6.2. Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Avoid contamination of ponds or watercourses with washing down water. The product may

affect the acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic organisms.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Clear up spills immediately and dispose of waste safely. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or

earth and place into containers. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in

accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority. Discharge of small

quantities to the sewer with plenty of water may be permitted.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections For personal protection, see Section 8. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

#### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

# 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions For professional users only. Handle and open container with care. Avoid contact with skin,

eyes and clothing. Avoid breathing vapours.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store in tightly-closed, original container. Keep container in a well-ventilated place. Store at

temperatures between 0°C and 40°C.

**Storage class** Chemical storage. Corrosive storage.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2. Refer to Product Use Guide

(PUG) for further information.

#### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection

#### 8.1. Control parameters

# Occupational exposure limits

# **HYDROCHLORIC ACID ...%**

Long-term exposure limit (8-hour TWA): WEL 1 ppm 2 mg/m³ gas and aerosol mists Short-term exposure limit (15-minute): WEL 5 ppm 8 mg/m³ gas and aerosol mists WEL = Workplace Exposure Limit.

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

#### Protective equipment





Appropriate engineering

controls

Provide adequate ventilation. Avoid inhalation of vapours.

**Eye/face protection** Wear eye protection.

Hand protection Wear protective gloves. Wear protective gloves made of the following material: Rubber

(natural, latex). Nitrile rubber. To protect hands from chemicals, gloves should comply with European Standard EN374. Wear protective gauntlets made of the following material:

Polyvinyl chloride (PVC).

**Hygiene measures** Wash promptly if skin becomes contaminated.

protection must be used if the airborne contamination exceeds the recommended

occupational exposure limit.

# SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

# 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance Clear liquid.

Colour Straw.

Odour Acrid. Acidic.

pH (concentrated solution): < 1

Melting point -59°C

Initial boiling point and range ~ 108°C

Flash point Not applicable.

Flammability (solid, gas) Not applicable.

Vapour pressure 1.4 kPa @ 20°C

**Relative density** 1.07 - 1.09 @ 20°C

Solubility(ies) Soluble in water.

**Decomposition Temperature** Not determined.

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Viscosity Non-viscous.

**Explosive properties** Not applicable.

Explosive under the influence

of a flame

Not considered to be explosive.

Oxidising properties Does not meet the criteria for classification as oxidising.

9.2. Other information

Refractive index 23.5 - 25.5

Volatile organic compound Not applicable.

#### SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

# 10.1. Reactivity

**Reactivity** The reactivity data for this product will be typical of those for the following class of materials:

Strong acids.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stability Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Under normal conditions of storage and use, no hazardous reactions will occur.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid No specific requirements are anticipated under normal conditions of use.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid Chemically-active metals. Alkalis.

# 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition

products

Does not decompose when used and stored as recommended.

# SECTION 11: Toxicological information

# 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

**Toxicological effects** Information given is based on data of the components and of similar products.

Skin corrosion/irritation

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Causes severe burns.

Extreme pH ≤ 2

Serious eye damage/irritation

Serious eye damage/irritation Causes serious eye damage.

**Inhalation** May cause respiratory irritation.

**Ingestion** Corrosive. May cause chemical burns in mouth, oesophagus and stomach.

**Skin contact** Causes severe burns.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye damage.

**Medical considerations** Pre-existing eye problems.

# SECTION 12: Ecological information

**Ecotoxicity** The product may affect the acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic

organisms.

12.1. Toxicity

**Toxicity** The product is not believed to present a hazard due to its physical nature.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability The product contains inorganic substances which are not biodegradable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential The product does not contain any substances expected to be bioaccumulating.

12.4. Mobility in soil

**Mobility** The product contains substances which are water-soluble and may spread in water systems.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB

assessment

This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

# **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

# 13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the

local Waste Disposal Authority.

Disposal methods Dispose of waste product or used containers in accordance with local regulations

# SECTION 14: Transport information

# 14.1. UN number

**UN No. (ADR/RID)** 1789

**UN No. (IMDG)** 1789

**UN No. (ICAO)** 1789

**UN No. (ADN)** 1789

# 14.2. UN proper shipping name

Proper shipping name

HYDROCHLORIC ACID

(ADR/RID)

Proper shipping name (IMDG) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

Proper shipping name (ICAO) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

Proper shipping name (ADN) HYDROCHLORIC ACID

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

ADR/RID class 8

ADR/RID classification code C1

ADR/RID label 8

IMDG class 8
ICAO class/division 8

ADN class 8

# Transport labels



# 14.4. Packing group

ADR/RID packing group II
IMDG packing group II
ICAO packing group II
ADN packing group III

# 14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant No.

# 14.6. Special precautions for user

IMDG Code segregation 1. Acids

group

**EmS** F-A, S-B

ADR transport category 2

Emergency Action Code 2R

Hazard Identification Number 80

azard identification (4diffber

(ADR/RID)

Tunnel restriction code (E)

# 14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

**Transport in bulk according to** Not applicable. **Annex II of MARPOL 73/78** 

and the IBC Code

# SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

**EU legislation** Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18

December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of

Chemicals (REACH) (as amended).

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as

amended).

Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as

amended).

Commission Directive 2000/39/EC of 8 June 2000 establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values in implementation of Council Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at

work (as amended).

Guidance EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits

Containing the list of workplace exposure limits for use with the Control of Substances

Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended)

Health and Safety Executive

#### 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

A chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

#### SECTION 16: Other information

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**Hazard statements in full** H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

H318 Causes serious eye damage. H335 May cause respiratory irritation.

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