

# **Safety Data Sheet**

# 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE PRODUCT AND THE SUPPLIER

# 1.1 Product identifiers Product name : POOLKING SPA & TILE CLEANER

- **1.2 Other means of identification** Alkaline cleaning agent, alkaline salt solution
- **1.3** Recommended use of the product and restrictions on use For removal of grime, dirt, stains and adsorbed material from spa & tiled surfaces
- 1.4
   Details of supplier of the safety data sheet

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# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; **NON-DANGEROUS GOODS**.

This material is hazardous according to Safe Work Australia; HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE.

# 2.1 GHS Classification

Skin Corrosion/Irritation	-	Category 2A
Serious Eye Damage/Irritation	-	Category 2
Acute Toxicity (Oral)	-	Category 4

# 2.2 GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Pictogram



# Signal word

: WARNING

# Hazard statement(s)

H302+H312+H332	Harmful if swallowed, in contact with skin or if inhaled.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H319	Causes serious eye damage.

#### Precautionary statement(s)

Prevention	
P261	Avoid breathing mist/vapours/spray.
P270	Do not eat drink of smoke when using this product.
P271	Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P280	Wear eye protection / face protection.
P264	Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P103	Read label before use.
Response	
P301+P312	IF SWALLOWED: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor/physician if you feel unwell.
P305 + P351 + P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P302 + P352	IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water.
P304 + P340	IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing.
P362	Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse.
P363	Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.
P337+P313	If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
P332+ P313	If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
Storage	
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
Disposal	
P501	Dispose of contents/container in accordance with the local/regional/national/international regulations.

# 2.3 Other hazards

None

# 3. COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Component	CAS Number	Hazard Code(s)	Concentration (%)
Ethyleneglycolmonobutyl ether	111-76-2	H302, H312, H319	8 - 15
Potassium Hydroxide	1310-58-3	H290, H302, H314, H318	< 5
Demineralised Water	7732-18-5	N/A	Balance

For the full text of the H-Statements mentioned in this section, see Section 16

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# 4.1 Description of First Aid measures

#### **General advice**

Contact the Poisons Information Centre (Phone: Australia 131 126; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or consult a doctor/physician. Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.

#### If inhaled

If breathed in, move person into fresh air – avoid becoming a casualty. Remove contaminated clothing and loosen remaining clothing. Allow patient to assume most comfortable position and keep warm. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. Keep at rest until fully recovered. Consult a physician.

#### In case of skin contact

Immediately remove any contaminated clothing and wash skin and hair thoroughly with running water. If swelling, redness, blistering or irritation occurs seek medical advice. Consult a physician.

## In case of eye contact

In case of eye contact, check for and remove any contact lenses. Immediately rinse thoroughly with plenty of running water for at least 15 minutes, keeping eyelids open. In all cases of eye contamination it is a sensible precaution to seek medical advice.

# If swallowed

Do NOT induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Rinse mouth with water. If swallowed, give a glass of water to drink. Seek medical advice.

**4.2 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed** Treat symptomatically.

# 4.3 First Aid facilities

Eye wash facilities and safety shower should be available.

# 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

# **5.1** Suitable extinguishing media Use water spray, alcohol-resistant foam, dry chemical or carbon dioxide.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the chemical Non-combustible material.

# 5.3 Special protective equipment and precautions for fire fighters

Decomposes on heating emitting toxic fumes, including oxides of carbon & nitrogen. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if risk of exposure to products of decomposition.

#### 5.4 Hazchem code

Not applicable

# 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

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

Use personal protective equipment. Avoid skin and eye contact. Avoid breathing vapours, dust, mist or gas. Ensure adequate ventilation. Evacuate personnel to safe areas. For personal protection see Section 8.

6.2 Environmental precautions

Do not let product enter drains or waterways. If contamination of sewers or waterways has occurred advise local emergency services.

# 6.3 Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

Pick up and arrange disposal without creating dust or spreading spill. Use absorptive material (vermiculite, etc.) to sequester spills. Sweep up and shovel. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

Avoid formation of dust and aerosols. Provide appropriate exhaust ventilation at places where dust is formed. For precautions see Section 2.2.

**7.2** Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities Store in cool, dry place. Keep container tightly closed in a dry, well-ventilated place. Store away from incompatible materials described in Section 10.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters

No value assigned for this specific material by Safe Work Australia.

#### 8.2 Exposure controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls

Ensure ventilation is adequate to maintain air concentrations below Workplace Exposure Standards. Keep containers closed when not in use.

If in the handling and application of this material, safe exposure levels could be exceeded, the use of engineering controls such as local exhaust ventilation must be considered and the results documented. If achieving safe exposure levels does not require engineering controls, then a detailed and documented risk assessment using the relevant Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (refer to PPE section below) as a basis must be carried out to determine the minimum PPE requirements.

# Personal protective equipment (PPE)

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods and environmental factors.

#### Eye/face protection

Safety glasses or goggles (where appropriate). See Australian Standards (AS/NZS 1336 & 1337).

#### Skin protection

Wear protective gloves and protective clothing appropriate for the risk of exposure. See Australian Standards (AS 2161 & 2919 and AS/NZS 2210). Gloves must be inspected prior to use. Use proper glove removal technique (without touching glove's outer surface) to avoid skin contact with this product. Dispose of contaminated gloves after use. Wash and dry hands.

#### **Respiratory protection**

If determined by a risk assessment an inhalation risk exists, wear a dust mask/respirator. See Australian Standards (AS/NZS 1715 & 1716).

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance:	Clear liquid
Colour:	Colourless
Odour:	Faintly organic
pH:	8 - 10
Melting Point:	No data available
Boiling Point:	No data available
Flash Point:	No data applicable
Auto Ignition Temperature:	No data available
Flammability:	Non-flammable
Specific Gravity:	1.05 – 1.08 @ 20 °C
Vapour Density (air=1):	No data available
Vapour Pressure:	No data available
Solubility in water:	Miscible with water

# **10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY**

10.1 Reactivity Reacts exothermically with acids.

# 10.2 Chemical stability

Stable under normal ambient, and anticipated storage and handling conditions of temperature and pressure.

- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** Hazardous polymerisation will not occur.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** Avoid contact with acids.
- **10.5** Incompatible materials Incompatible with strong oxidising agents, reducing agents and acids.

# **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products** Oxides of carbon.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# **11.1** Information on toxicological effects

No adverse health effects expected if the product is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the product label.

Symptoms or effects that may arise if the product is mishandled and over exposure occurs are:

**Ingestion:** Swallowing may result in nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain.

**Eye contact:** Contact with eyes will result in eye irritation.

Skin contact: Contact with skin may result in irritation.

**Inhalation:** Breathing in mists or aerosols may product respiratory irritation.

Acute toxicity: No information available for the product.

Chronic Effects: No information available for the product.

#### 11.2 Information on possible routes of exposure

The substance can be absorbed into the body by ingestion and by inhalation.

#### **12. ECOGICAL INFORMATION**

#### 12.1 Ecotoxicity

Avoid contaminating waterways.

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

No ecological problems are to be expected when the product is handled and used with due care and attention.

- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No data available
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No data available
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No data available
- 12.5 Other adverse effects No data available

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# **13.1 Disposal methods and containers** Ensure waste disposal conforms to relevant local, state and federal authority waste disposal regulations. All empty packaging should be disposed of as unused product.

#### **13.3** Special precautions for landfill or incineration

Contact a specialist disposal company or the local waste regulator for advice.

#### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

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Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by <u>Sea</u>; **NON-DANGEROUS GOODS**.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by <u>Air</u>; **NON-DANGEROUS GOODS**.

#### **15. REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 15.1 Classifications:

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Poisons Schedule - None allocated. All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS).

#### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

#### Key / legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the SDS

ADG	Australian Dangerous Goods
ASCC	Australian Safety and Compensation Council
DEC	Department of Environment and Conservation
NOHSC	National Occupational Health and Safety Commission
SUSDP	Standard for the Uniform Scheduling of Drugs and Poisons
Eye Dam.	Serious eye damage
TŴA	Time weighted average
STEL	Short term exposure level
SWA	Safe Work Australia
Peak Limitations	A ceiling concentration that should not be exceeded over a measurement period, which should be as short as
	possible, but not exceeding 15 minutes
LD <sub>50</sub>	Lethal dose 50. The single dose of a substance that causes the death of 50% of an animal population from
	exposure to the substance by any route other than inhalation
LC <sub>50</sub>	Lethal concentration that kills 50% of an animal population within a specified time
TD Lo	The lowest dose of a substance known to have produced signs of toxicity
RTECS	Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances
g/L	Grams per litre
g/cm <sup>3</sup>	Grams per cubic centimetre
mg/m³	Milligrams per cubic metre
mg/kg	Milligrams per kilogram
рН	Relates to hydrogen ion concentration - this value will relate to a scale of 0 - 14, where 0 is highly acidic and 14
	is highly alkaline
WHS	Work Health and Safety

#### Literature references

"Workplace Exposure Standards for Airborne Contaminants, December 2011" by SWA Work Health and Safety Regulations 2011

### Reason(s) for Issue:

Revised primary SDS Alignment to GHS requirements

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