

Selenium copper etching solution SeO₂ 78.7 g/l + Cu(NO₃)₂ x 3 H₂O 70 g/l

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

1.1. Product identifier

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UFI: 748V-S117-P00V-JQAE

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

Use of the substance/mixture

Laboratory chemicals

Industrial uses: Uses of substances as such or in preparations at industrial sites

Professional uses: Public domain (administration, education, entertainment, services, craftsmen)

Uses advised against

Do not use for private purposes (household).

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name:	Fa. Bernd Kraft GmbH	
Street:	Stempelstraße 6	
Place:	D-47167 Duisburg	
Telephone:	0203/5194-0	Telefax: 0203/5194-290
e-mail:	info@berndkraft.de	
Contact person:	Abteilung Produktsicherheit	Telephone: 0203/5194-107/117
e-mail:	produktsicherheit@berndkraft.de	
Internet:	www.berndkraft.de	
Responsible Department:	Abteilung Produktsicherheit	

1.4. Emergency telephone number:

For Hazardous Materials [or Dangerous Goods] Incidents Spill, Leak, Fire, Exposure, or Accident Call CHEMTREC Day or Night Within USA and Canada: 1-800-424-9300 Outside USA and Canada: +1 703-741-5970 (collect calls accepted)

Further Information

inapplicable, this product is a mixture REACH registration number see section 3

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

GB CLP Regulation

Met. Corr. 1; H290
Acute Tox. 3; H331
Acute Tox. 4; H302
Skin Corr. 1A; H314
Eye Dam. 1; H318
Aquatic Chronic 2; H411

Full text of hazard statements: see SECTION 16.

2.2. Label elements

GB CLP Regulation

Hazard components for labelling

nitric acid
selenious acid
Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate

Signal word: Danger

Safety Data Sheet

according to UK REACH Regulation

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Pictograms:



Hazard statements

- H290 May be corrosive to metals.
- H302 Harmful if swallowed.
- H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
- H331 Toxic if inhaled.
- H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

Precautionary statements

- P260 Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
- P280 Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection/hearing protection.
- 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.
- P310 Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.

Special labelling of certain mixtures

- EUH071 Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

2.3. Other hazards

No data available

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Chemical characterization

Mixtures in aqueous solution

Hazardous components

CAS No	Chemical name	Quantity
	EC No	
	Index No	
	REACH No	
	Classification (GB CLP Regulation)	
7697-37-2	nitric acid	25 - < 30 %
	231-714-2	
	007-030-00-3	
	01-2119487297-23	
	Ox. Liq. 3, Met. Corr. 1, Acute Tox. 3, Skin Corr. 1A; H272 H290 H331 H314 EUH071	
7783-00-8	selenious acid	5 - < 10 %
	231-974-7	
	034-002-00-8	
	Acute Tox. 3, Acute Tox. 3, STOT RE 2, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1; H331 H301 H373 H400 H410	
10031-43-3	Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate	5 - < 10 %
	01-2119969290-34	
	Ox. Sol. 2, Acute Tox. 4, Skin Irrit. 2, Eye Irrit. 2, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1; H272 H302 H315 H319 H400 H410	

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

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Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE

CAS No	EC No	Chemical name	Quantity
		Specific Conc. Limits, M-factors and ATE	
7697-37-2	231-714-2	nitric acid	25 - < 30 %
		inhalation: ATE 2,65 mg/l (vapours) Ox. Liq. 3; H272: >= 65 - 100 Skin Corr. 1A; H314: >= 20 - 100 Skin Corr. 1B; H314: >= 5 - < 20	
7783-00-8	231-974-7	selenious acid	5 - < 10 %
		inhalation: ATE = 3 mg/l (vapours); inhalation: ATE = 0,5 mg/l (dusts or mists); oral: ATE = 100 mg/kg	
10031-43-3		Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate	5 - < 10 %
		oral: ATE = 500 mg/kg	

Further Information

This product does not contain substances of very high concern according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (REACH), Article 57 above the respective regulatory concentration limit of = 0.1 % (w/w).

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

General information

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection! Remove affected person from the danger area and lay down.

After inhalation

Provide fresh air.

If breathing is irregular or stopped, administer artificial respiration.

Medical treatment necessary.

After contact with skin

After contact with skin, wash immediately with polyethylene glycol, followed by plenty of water. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

Call a physician immediately.

After contact with eyes

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

After ingestion

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water.

Adverse human health effects and symptoms: Gastric perforation

Call a physician immediately.

Do not allow a neutralisation agent to be drunk.

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

Irritant — skin irritation and eye damage

Causes burns.

Cough

Dyspnoea

Risk of serious damage to eyes.

Vomiting

Methaemoglobinaemia

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

No data available

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

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Suitable extinguishing media

Co-ordinate fire-fighting measures to the fire surroundings.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

no restriction

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Non-combustible liquids

Hazardous combustion products

In case of fire may be liberated:

Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

Metal oxide smoke, toxic

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing. Full protection suit.

Do not inhale explosion and combustion gases.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

Additional information

Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet.

Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

Move undamaged containers from immediate hazard area if it can be done safely.

Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General advice

Corrosive to metals.

For non-emergency personnel

Provide adequate ventilation.

Use personal protection equipment.

Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

Remove persons to safety.

Emergency procedures

Consult an expert

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

For emergency responders

Precautionary statements For emergency responders : Personal protection equipment: see section 8

6.2. Environmental precautions

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment

Cover drains.

Prevent spread over a wide area (e.g. by containment or oil barriers).

Collect in closed and suitable containers for disposal.

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents).

For cleaning up

Clean contaminated articles and floor according to the environmental legislation.

Other information

Provide adequate ventilation.

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.

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6.4. Reference to other sections

Safe handling: see section 7
Personal protection equipment: see section 8
Disposal: see section 13

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Advice on safe handling

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used.
Read label before use. Handle and open container with care.
When using do not eat, drink, smoke, sniff. Keep container tightly closed.
Use personal protection equipment. Use extractor hood (laboratory).
Provide adequate ventilation.
Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes.

Advice on protection against fire and explosion

The product develops hydrogen in an aqueous solution in contact with metals.

Advice on general occupational hygiene

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme.
Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

Further information on handling

Draw up and observe skin protection programme.
Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary.
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Requirements for storage rooms and vessels

Keep container tightly closed.
Provide adequate ventilation as well as local exhaustion at critical locations.
Keep in a cool place.

Hints on joint storage

national regulations

Further information on storage conditions

Unsuitable container/equipment material: Metal

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Laboratory chemicals

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Exposure limits (EH40)

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m ³	fibres/ml	Category	Origin
7697-37-2	Nitric acid	1	2.6		STEL (15 min)	WEL

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PNEC values

CAS No	Substance	Value
Environmental compartment		
10031-43-3	Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate	
Freshwater		0,0078 mg/l
Marine water		0,0052 mg/l
Freshwater sediment		87 mg/kg
Marine sediment		676 mg/kg
Micro-organisms in sewage treatment plants (STP)		0,23 mg/l
Soil		65 mg/kg

8.2. Exposure controls

Appropriate engineering controls

Technical measures and the application of suitable work processes have priority over personal protection equipment.

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/face protection

Suitable eye protection:
Face protection shield
goggles.

Hand protection

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

Suitable examples are gloves of KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, e-mail: vertrieb@kcl.de with the following specification (test according to EN 374):

By long-term hand contact

Trade name/designation KCL 897 Butoject®
Suitable material: Butyl caoutchouc (butyl rubber) 0,3 mm
Wearing time with permanent contact: > 480 min

By short-term hand contact

Trade name/designation KCL 720 Camapren®
Suitable material: CR (polychloroprene, chloroprene rubber) 0,65 mm
Wearing time with occasional contact (splashes): > 240 min

The breakthrough times stated above were determined by KCL in laboratory tests acc. to EN374 with samples of the recommended glove types. This recommendation applies only to the product stated in the safety data sheet supplied by us and for the designated use. When dissolving in or mixing with other substances and under conditions deviating from those stated in EN374 please contact the supplier of CE-approved gloves (e.g. KCL GmbH, D-36124 Eichenzell, Internet: www.kcl.de).

Skin protection

Wear suitable protective clothing.

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Respiratory protection

Wear breathing apparatus if exposed to vapours/dusts/aerosols.
In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

Environmental exposure controls

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state:	Liquid	
Colour:	blue	
Odour:	stinging	
Melting point/freezing point:		No data available
Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range:		No data available
Flammability		
Solid/liquid:		not applicable
Gas:		not applicable
Lower explosion limits:		not determined
Upper explosion limits:		not determined
Flash point:		X
Auto-ignition temperature:		No data available
Decomposition temperature:		not determined
pH-Value:		0,0
Viscosity / kinematic:		No data available
Solubility in other solvents		
not determined		
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water:		not determined
Vapour pressure:		No data available
Vapour pressure:		No data available
Density:		~1,25 g/cm ³
Bulk density:		No data available
Relative vapour density:		not determined

9.2. Other information

Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Explosive properties	
No data available	
Self-ignition temperature	
Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable
Oxidizing properties	
The product is: oxidising, Oxidising.	

Other safety characteristics

Evaporation rate:	not determined
Solid content:	not determined
Sublimation point:	No data available
Softening point:	No data available
Pour point:	No data available
No data available:	
Viscosity / dynamic:	No data available
Flow time:	No data available

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Further Information

No data available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Corrosive to metals. oxidising, Oxidising.

10.2. Chemical stability

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Exothermic reaction with: Combustible substance, Alkali metals, Alkaline earth metal, Heavy metals, Metal powder, Acid, Base.

Risk of ignition or formation of inflammable gases or vapours with: formaldehyde, glycerol, sulphuric acid, hydrogen iodide, chlorates, Organic Substances, carbon/soot, Hydrocarbons, Alkali metals, lithium silicide, organic solvent, phosphorus, pyridine, sulfur dioxide, hydrogen sulfide, hydrogen peroxide, acetonitrile, acetylidene, Alcohols, anilines, antimony hydride, arsenic hydride, Amines, Ammonia, combustible substances, phosphides, Aldehydes, dichloromethane, hydrazines, Dioxane, acetic acid, Acetone, Acetic anhydride, Fluorine, Powdered metals Violent reactions possible with: Nitriles, antimony, arsenic, Boron, ferric oxide, alkalines, sodium hypochlorite

10.4. Conditions to avoid

No data available

10.5. Incompatible materials

Keep away from: Metal. Keep away from combustible material.

Cellulose

The product develops hydrogen in an aqueous solution in contact with metals. Nitrogen oxides (NO_x)

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

In case of fire may be liberated:

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in GB CLP Regulation

Toxicokinetics, metabolism and distribution

No data available

Acute toxicity

Toxic if inhaled.

Harmful if swallowed.

ATEmix calculated

ATE (oral) 1139,7 mg/kg; ATE (inhalation vapour) 8,35 mg/l; ATE (inhalation dust/mist) 1,392 mg/l

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CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
7697-37-2	nitric acid				
	inhalation vapour	ATE 2,65 mg/l			
7783-00-8	selenious acid				
	oral	ATE 100 mg/kg			
	inhalation vapour	ATE 3 mg/l			
	inhalation dust/mist	ATE 0,5 mg/l			
10031-43-3	Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate				
	oral	ATE 500 mg/kg			

Irritation and corrosivity

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
Causes serious eye damage.
No data available

Sensitising effects

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
No data available

Carcinogenic/mutagenic/toxic effects for reproduction

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
No data available

STOT-single exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
No data available

STOT-repeated exposure

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
No data available

Aspiration hazard

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
No data available

Specific effects in experiment on an animal

No data available

Additional information on tests

No data available

Practical experience

No data available

11.2. Information on other hazards

Endocrine disrupting properties

No data available

Other information

Adverse human health effects and symptoms
gastric perforation
Pulmonary oedema
see also Section 4

Further information

No data available

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SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

The product is not: Ecotoxic.

CAS No	Chemical name					
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h] [d]	Species	Source	Method
7697-37-2	nitric acid					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	1559	96 h	Topeka shiner	Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry, other: ASTM E729-26
	Fish toxicity	NOEC	268 mg/l	30 d	juvenile Topeka shiner and with juvenile Fathead m	Study report (2009) Growth tests estimated the test chemical
	Algae toxicity	NOEC mg/l	> 419	10 d	several benthic diatoms; see results	Marine Biology 43:307-315 (1977) Ten cultures of benthic diatoms were iso
	Acute bacteria toxicity	(EC50 mg/l)	> 1000	3 h	Activated sludge	Study report (2008) OECD Guideline 209
10031-43-3	Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 mg/l	0,193	96 h	Pimephales promelas	Study report (1996) measurements were conducted by standard
	Acute algae toxicity	ErC50 mg/l	0,152	72 h	Pseudokirchneriella subcapitata	Publication (2005) OECD Guideline 201
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 mg/l	0,007	48 h	Daphnia magna	Study report (1978) - Test were conducted on Daphnia magna t
	Fish toxicity	NOEC mg/l	0,123	12 d	Atherinops affinis	Mar. Environ. Res. 31: 17-35 (1991) Three tests are reported, designed to de
	Algae toxicity	NOEC mg/l	0,0102	19 d	other aquatic plant: giant kelp Macrocystis pyrife	Mar. Ecol. Prog. Ser. 68: 147 - 156 (199) Tests were conducted to determine the ef
	Crustacea toxicity	NOEC mg/l	0,033	14 d	Penaeus mergulensis and Penaeus monodon	Bull. Environ. Contain. Toxicol. (1995) The effects of dissolved copper on the g

12.2. Persistence and degradability

The methods for determining the biological degradability are not applicable to inorganic substances.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

The product has not been tested.

BCF

CAS No	Chemical name	BCF	Species	Source
10031-43-3	Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate	0,02 - 20	Crangon crangon	Symp. Biologica. Hun

12.4. Mobility in soil

The product has not been tested.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT/vPvB criteria according to UK REACH.

The product has not been tested.

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

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This product does not contain a substance that has endocrine disrupting properties with respect to non-target organisms as no components meets the criteria.

12.7. Other adverse effects

Harmful effect due to pH shift.
Forms corrosive mixtures with water even if diluted.
Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Further information

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal recommendations

Waste disposal according to directive 2008/98/EC, covering waste and dangerous waste.
Send to a physico-chemical treatment facility under observation of official regulations.
Do not empty into drains.

Contaminated packaging

Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.
The allocation of waste identity numbers/waste descriptions must be carried out according to the EEC, specific to the industry and process.

SECTION 14: Transport information

Land transport (ADR/RID)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (nitric acid)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	8
14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	8
Classification code:	C1
Special Provisions:	274
Limited quantity:	1 L
Excepted quantity:	E2
Transport category:	2
Hazard No:	80
Tunnel restriction code:	E

Other applicable information (land transport)

E2

Inland waterways transport (ADN)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (nitric acid)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	8
14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	8
Classification code:	C1
Special Provisions:	274
Limited quantity:	1 L
Excepted quantity:	E2

Other applicable information (inland waterways transport)

E2

Marine transport (IMDG)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
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14.2. UN proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Nitric acid)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	8
14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	8
Special Provisions:	274
Limited quantity:	1 L
Excepted quantity:	E2
EmS:	F-A, S-B

Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)

14.1. UN number or ID number:	UN 3264
14.2. UN proper shipping name:	CORROSIVE LIQUID, ACIDIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Nitric acid)
14.3. Transport hazard class(es):	8
14.4. Packing group:	II
Hazard label:	8
Special Provisions:	A3 A803
Limited quantity Passenger:	0.5 L
Passenger LQ:	Y840
Excepted quantity:	E2
IATA-packing instructions - Passenger:	851
IATA-max. quantity - Passenger:	1 L
IATA-packing instructions - Cargo:	855
IATA-max. quantity - Cargo:	30 L

14.5. Environmental hazards

ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS:	Yes
Danger releasing substance:	Copper(II) nitrate trihydrate

14.6. Special precautions for user

Warning: Oxidising substances. strongly corrosive.

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

EU regulatory information

Restrictions on use (REACH, annex XVII):

Entry 3

Information according to 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III): H2 ACUTE TOXIC

Additional information: E2

National regulatory information

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juveniles according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).

Water hazard class (D): 1 - slightly hazardous to water

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

Changes

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s): 1,9.

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Abbreviations and acronyms

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route
(European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods
IATA: International Air Transport Association
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%
LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

Classification for mixtures and used evaluation method according to GB CLP Regulation

Classification	Classification procedure
Met. Corr. 1; H290	On basis of test data
Acute Tox. 3; H331	Calculation method
Acute Tox. 4; H302	Calculation method
Skin Corr. 1A; H314	Calculation method
Eye Dam. 1; H318	Calculation method
Aquatic Chronic 2; H411	Calculation method

Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)

H272 May intensify fire; oxidiser.
H290 May be corrosive to metals.
H301 Toxic if swallowed.
H302 Harmful if swallowed.
H314 Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H318 Causes serious eye damage.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.
H331 Toxic if inhaled.
H373 May cause damage to organs through prolonged or repeated exposure.
H400 Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
EUH071 Corrosive to the respiratory tract.

Further Information

The above information describes exclusively the safety requirements of the product and is based on our present-day knowledge. The information is intended to give you advice about the safe handling of the product named in this safety data sheet, for storage, processing, transport and disposal. The information cannot be transferred to other products. In the case of mixing the product with other products or in the case of processing, the information on this safety data sheet is not necessarily valid for the new made-up material.

(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)