



SAFETY DATA SHEET

LEKTROSOAK

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product name: LEKTROSOAK

Product code: A109

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

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Confederate Chemicals Ltd

Mochdre Industrial Estate

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Powys

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Tel: 01686 627158

Fax: 01686 627580

Email: lab@confederatechemicals.co.uk

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency tel: 01686 627158

Section 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CHIP: C: R35

Most important adverse effects: Causes severe burns.

Classification under CLP: This product has no classification under CLP.

2.2. Label elements

Label elements under CHIP:

Hazard symbols: Corrosive.



Risk phrases: R35: Causes severe burns.

Safety phrases: S2: Keep out of the reach of children.

S24/25: Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

S26: In case of contact with eyes, rinse immediately with plenty of water and seek medical advice.

S28: After contact with skin, wash immediately with plenty of water.

S36/37/39: Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves and eye / face protection.

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S45: In case of accident or if you feel unwell, seek medical advice immediately (show the label where possible).

2.3. Other hazards

PBT: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Section 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

- Skin contact:** Remove all contaminated clothes and footwear immediately unless stuck to skin. Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still on skin. Transfer to hospital if there are burns or symptoms of poisoning.
- Eye contact:** Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Transfer to hospital for specialist examination.
- Ingestion:** Do not induce vomiting. Give 1 cup of water to drink every 10 minutes. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary. If unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.
- Inhalation:** Remove casualty from exposure ensuring one's own safety whilst doing so. If unconscious, check for breathing and apply artificial respiration if necessary. If unconscious and breathing is OK, place in the recovery position. If conscious, ensure the casualty sits or lies down. If breathing becomes bubbly, have the casualty sit and provide oxygen if available. Transfer to hospital as soon as possible.

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

- Skin contact:** Irritation or pain may occur at the site of contact. Blistering may occur. Severe burns may occur.
- Eye contact:** There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely. Corneal burns may occur.
- Ingestion:** It is unlikely that this substance will be swallowed due to its physical properties.
- Inhalation:** There may be a feeling of tightness in the chest with shortness of breath. Exposure may cause coughing or wheezing. There may be congestion of the lungs causing severe shortness of breath. There may be loss of consciousness.
- Delayed / immediate effects:** Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

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

Immediate / special treatment: Eye bathing equipment should be available on the premises.

Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

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5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Carbon dioxide. Alcohol or polymer foam. Dry chemical powder.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Exposure hazards: Corrosive. In combustion emits toxic fumes.

5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

Section 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions: Mark out the contaminated area with signs and prevent access to unauthorised personnel. Do not create dust.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Transfer to a suitable container. Wash down the drain with large amounts of water.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

Section 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area. Avoid direct contact with the substance.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in a cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): No data available.

Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits: No data available.

DNEL/PNEC Values

DNEL / PNEC No data available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Ensure there is sufficient ventilation of the area.

Respiratory protection: Suitable respiratory protection must be available in case of emergency.

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Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety goggles. Face-shield. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Protective clothing with elasticated cuffs and closed neck. Boots made of PVC. PVC apron covering the tops of the boots. Ensure safety shower is to hand.

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Solid

Colour: White

Oxidising: Non-oxidising (by EC criteria)

Solubility in water: Soluble

Flash point°C: None

pH: ~14 (1% solution)

9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

Section 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Will absorb moisture from the air.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.
Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: Moist air.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Aluminium. Magnesium. There is heat evolution if water is added to the product.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: Exothermic reaction with water. Potassium Hydroxide reacts with Aluminium and Magnesium with the evolution of Hydrogen, especially in the presence of water.
Hydrogen can form explosive mixtures in air.

Section 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

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Relevant effects for mixture:

Effect	Route	Basis
Corrosivity	OPT INH DRM	Hazardous: calculated

Symptoms / routes of exposure

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Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness. The eyes may water profusely. Corneal burns may occur.

Ingestion: It is unlikely that this substance will be swallowed due to its physical properties.

Inhalation: There may be a feeling of tightness in the chest with shortness of breath. Exposure may cause coughing or wheezing. There may be congestion of the lungs causing severe shortness of breath. There may be loss of consciousness.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

Section 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: This product contains surfactants considered by our suppliers to be >80% biodegradable when tested by the OECD screening test which satisfies EEC directives 82/242 and/or 82/243.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: Soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT identification: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: Contains no substance classified as Dangerous for the Environment in the Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging) Regulations 2002, or subsequent amendments.

Section 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal of packaging: All residues must be removed from packaging prior to disposal as controlled waste.

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

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Section 14: Transport information

14.1. UN number

UN number: UN3262

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Shipping name: CORROSIVE SOLID, BASIC, INORGANIC, N.O.S. (Sodium Hydroxide, Disodium Trioxosilicate)

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

Transport class: 8

14.4. Packing group

14.5. Environmental hazards

Environmentally hazardous: No

Marine pollutant: Yes

14.6. Special precautions for user

Special precautions: No special precautions.

Tunnel code: E

Transport category: 1

Section 15: Regulatory information

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

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Chemical safety assessment: A chemical safety assessment has not been carried out for the substance or the mixture by the supplier.

Section 16: Other information

Other information

Other information: Refer to the Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992.
Store in accordance with HSE Guidance Note CS17.
Classed as special waste by the Hazardous Waste Regulations 2005.
Read in conjunction with the Technical Data sheet concerning use of the product.

Phrases used in s.2 and s.3: R35: Causes severe burns.

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.