



SAFETY DATA SHEET

METCLEAR* MR2416

1. Product and Company Identification

Material name METCLEAR MR2416
Version # 1.3
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Chemical description Aqueous solution of organic salts
CAS # Mixture
Product application Waste treatment additive.

Company/undertaking identification

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2. Hazards Identification

Emergency overview WARNING

May cause moderate irritation to the skin. Severe irritant to the eyes. Mists/aerosols may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.

Potential health effects

Eyes Severe irritant to the eyes.
Skin Primary route of exposure May cause moderate irritation to the skin.
Inhalation Mists/aerosols may cause irritation to upper respiratory tract.
Ingestion May cause gastrointestinal irritation
Target organs No evidence of potential chronic effects.

Medical conditions aggravated by exposure None known.

3. Composition / Information on Ingredients

Hazardous components	CAS #	Percent
AROMATIC HETEROCYCLE	TSRN 125438 - 11820	
Non-hazardous components	CAS #	
Water	7732-18-5	

4. First Aid Measures

First aid procedures

Eye contact Keep eyelids apart.
Skin contact Remove contaminated clothing.

Ingestion

Rinse mouth with water. Do not feed anything by mouth to an unconscious or convulsive victim. Do NOT induce vomiting! Dilute contents of stomach using 2-8 fluid ounces (60-240ml) of milk or water.

5. Fire Fighting Measures**Extinguishing media**

Unsuitable extinguishing media None.

Protection of firefighters

Specific hazards arising from the chemical Oxides of carbon, nitrogen, and sulphur evolved in fire.

Fire fighting**equipment/instructions**

Fire fighters should wear positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (full face-piece type).

6. Accidental Release Measures**Personal precautions**

Protective clothing.

Environmental precautions

Prevent from entering sewers or the immediate environment.
Accidental release of large quantities into the aquatic environment may harm aquatic organisms.

7. Handling and Storage**Handling**

Alkaline.
Do not mix with acidic material.

Storage

Store in cool, well ventilated area.
Protect from freezing.
Store containers closed when not in use.

8. Exposure Controls / Personal Protection**Occupational exposure limits**

No exposure limits noted for ingredient(s).

Biological limit values

No biological exposure limits noted for the ingredient(s).

Engineering controls

Ensure good ventilation.

Personal protective equipment**Eye / face protection**

Splash proof chemical goggles.

Skin protection

Impervious gloves. Wash off after each use. Replace as necessary.

9. Physical & Chemical Properties**Appearance****Physical state**

Liquid

Color

Yellow Colorless to yellow

Odor

Slight

Odor threshold

Not available.

pH (concentrated product)

12.4

pH in aqueous solution

12 (5% SOL.)

Vapor pressure

18 mm Hg

Vapor pressure temp.

70 °F (21 °C)

Vapor density

< 1 (Air = 1)

Boiling point

214 °F (101 °C)

Melting point/Freezing point

25 °F (-4 °C)

Solubility (water)

100 %

Specific gravity (70°F, 21°C)

1.13

Flash point

> 200 °F (> 93 °C) P-M(CC)

Flammability limits in air, upper, % by volume

Not available.

Flammability limits in air, lower, % by volume

Not available.

Auto-ignition temperature

Not available.

Evaporation rate

< 1 (Ether = 1)

Viscosity	10 cps
Viscosity temperature	70 °F (21 °C)
Pour point	30 °F (-1 °C)

10. Chemical Stability & Reactivity Information

Chemical stability	Material is stable under normal conditions.
Conditions to avoid	No special requirement.
Incompatible materials	Avoid contact with strong acids and oxidisers.
Hazardous decomposition products	Oxides of carbon, nitrogen, and sulphur evolved in fire.
Possibility of hazardous reactions	Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

11. Toxicological Information

Toxicological data

Product	Species	Test Results
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METCLEAR MR2416 (CAS Mixture)

Acute

Dermal

LD50 Rat > 2000 mg/kg

Oral

LD50 Rat 7878 mg/kg

Components	Species	Test Results
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AROMATIC HETEROCYCLE (CAS TSNR 125438 - 11820)

Acute

Oral

LD50 Rat 7878 mg/kg

Sensitization Not classified.

Acute effects Not classified.

Carcinogenicity Not classified.

OSHA Specifically Regulated Substances (29 CFR 1910.1001-1050)

Not listed.

Skin corrosion/irritation Not classified.

Mutagenicity Not classified.

Reproductive effects Not classified.

Symptoms and target organs Symptoms on eyes may develop from tearing with development into irritation. Symptoms on skin may develop redness and itching.

12. Ecological Information

Ecotoxicity

Product	Species	Test Results
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METCLEAR MR2416 (CAS Mixture)

LC50 Fathead Minnow 190.1 mg/l, Static Acute Bioassay, 96 hour

Crustacea EC50 Daphnia magna 253 mg/l, Static Acute Bioassay, 48 hour

Persistence and degradability No data available

13. Disposal Considerations

Disposal instructions According to Hazardous Waste Regulations.

Via an authorized waste disposal contractor to an approved waste disposal site, observing all local and national regulations.

Contaminated packaging According to Hazardous Waste Regulations.

Via an authorized waste disposal contractor to an approved waste disposal site, observing all local and national regulations.

14. Transport Information

DOT

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IATA

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

IMDG

Not regulated as dangerous goods.

TDG

Not regulated as a dangerous good.

15. Regulatory Information

US federal regulations

US EPCRA (SARA Title III) Section 313 - Toxic Chemical: Listed substance

None listed.

TSCA Section 12(b) Export Notification (40 CFR 707, Subpt. D)

Not regulated.

CERCLA (Superfund) reportable quantity, lbs

None listed.

Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA)

Hazard categories	Immediate Hazard - No
	Delayed Hazard - No
	Fire Hazard - No
	Pressure Hazard - No
	Reactivity Hazard - No

SARA 302 Extremely hazardous substance

Not listed.

SARA 311/312 Hazardous chemical	No
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Inventory status

Country(s) or region	Inventory name	On inventory (yes/no)*
Canada	Domestic Substances List (DSL)	Yes
Canada	Non-Domestic Substances List (NDSL)	No
United States & Puerto Rico	Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Inventory	Yes

*A "Yes" indicates that all components of this product comply with the inventory requirements administered by the governing country(s)

A "No" indicates that one or more components of the product are not listed or exempt from listing on the inventory administered by the governing country(s).

State regulations

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Carcinogenic substance

No ingredient listed.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Developmental toxin

No ingredient listed.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Female reproductive toxin

No ingredient listed.

US - California Proposition 65 - CRT: Listed date/Male reproductive toxin

No ingredient listed.

US - Massachusetts RTK - Substance List

Not regulated.

US - Pennsylvania RTK - Hazardous Substances

Not regulated.

US - Rhode Island RTK

Not regulated.

16. Other Information

List of abbreviations

CAS: Chemical Abstract Service Registration Number
TSRN indicates a Trade Secret Registry Number is used in place of the CAS number.
ACGIH: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists
NOEL: No Observed Effect Level
STEL: Short Term Exposure Limit
LC50: Lethal Concentration, 50%
TWA: Time Weighted Average
BOD: Biochemical Oxygen Demand
COD: Chemical Oxygen Demand
TOC: Total Organic Carbon
IATA: International Air Transport Association
IMDG: International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code
LD50: Lethal Dose, 50%
NFPA: National Fire Protection Association

HMIS® ratings

Health: 2
Flammability: 0
Physical hazard: 0
Personal protection: B

NFPA ratings

Health: 2
Flammability: 0
Instability: 0
Special hazards: NONE

This data sheet contains changes from the previous version in section(s):

First Aid Measures: Inhalation
Exposure Controls / Personal Protection: General hygiene considerations
Toxicological Information: Symptoms and target organs
GHS: Classification

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