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Safety Data Sheet

Waterra W-01

1. IDENTIFICATION

Product name

Waterra W-01

Description

Proprietary coagulant/flocculant

Product class

Waste Treatment

Supplier address

507 Hickory Court

Wexford, PA 15090

Telephone numbers

Company Phone Number

(724) 940-4138

Emergency Telephone

INFOTRAC 800-535-5053

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Hazard classification

Corrosive to Metals, Category 1

Skin Irritation, Category 2 Serious Eye Damage, Category 1

Signal word

Danger

Hazard statements

May be corrosive to metals.

Causes skin irritation.

Causes serious eye damage.

Pictograms of related hazards





Precautionary statements

Prevention

Keep only in original container.

Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

Wear protective gloves, protective clothing, eye protection, and face protection.

Response

Avoid spillage to prevent material damage.

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Specific measures:

IF ON SKIN: Wash with soap and water.

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical attention.

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. Immediately contact a POISON CENTER or health care provider.

<u>Storage</u>

Store in a corrosive-resistant container.

Store in a closed container.

Disposal

Dispose of in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations.

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

| Chemical Name | CAS# | Weight % |
|--------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Polyaluminum chloride | 1327-41-9 | 15–30 |
| Non-hazardous substances | Proprietary | >60 |

4. FIRST-AID MEASURES

Eye contact Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15

minutes, lifting lower and upper eyelids occasionally to ensure complete rinsing. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do, then resume rinsing. Get medical attention

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immediately.

Skin contact Immediately remove all contaminated clothing. Rinse with

copious amounts of water; use an emergency shower if

available. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

Ingestion If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth and

get emergency medical attention. Do not give anything by mouth unless instructed to do so by a poison center or

health care provider.

Inhalation If inhaled, move victim to fresh air. Seek emergency

medical attention if breathing is difficult; perform artificial

respiration if breathing stops.

Note to health care provider Esophageal corrosion may contraindicate the use of

gastric lavage and/or activated charcoal.

5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media No information available

Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. A selfcontained breathing apparatus and protective clothing are essential. Use water to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

Specific hazards Reaction with metals may produce highly flammable

hydrogen gas.

Hazardous combustion products Aluminum compounds, corrosive vapor

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6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions Evacuate the area of all non-essential personnel. Do not

touch spilled material without proper protective equipment. Ventilate the area and mitigate further release if it is safe

to do so. Avoid contact with eyes.

Methods for clean-up

<u>Small spills</u> Contain spill and soak up with an inert absorbent material

and place residues in a properly labeled container for disposal. Avoid discharge into sewer or surface water.

<u>Large spills</u> Contain spill using trenches, diking, or absorption with an

inert material (i.e. sand or earth). Reclaim spilled material into recovery or salvage drums or tank truck for proper

disposal.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Advice on safe handling Avoid contact with eyes, skin, and clothing. Avoid

breathing vapor or mist. Wash hands thoroughly after

handling.

Storage conditions Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area away from

incompatible materials. Keep containers closed when not

in use.

Suitable materials of

construction

Corrosion-resistant container; original container only is

recommended.

Unsuitable materials of

construction

Metals

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Eye/face protection Chemical splash goggles, face shield

Skin protection Chemical-resistant gloves and body-covering clothing

Respiratory protection If airborne concentrations exceed published exposure

limits, use a NIOSH approved respirator in accordance with OSHA respiratory protection requirements (29 CFR

1910.134).

Engineering controls Adequate ventilation, eye-wash station, and emergency

shower

General hygiene considerations Do not eat, drink, or smoke while handling this product.

| Chemical Name | OSHA PEL | ACGIH TLV TWA: 2 mg/m³ (Soluble salts) | |
|--------------------------|--|---|--|
| Polyaluminum chloride | 15 mg/m³ (total dust); 5 mg/m³ (respirable fraction) (Aluminum metal) | | |
| Non-hazardous substances | None established | None established | |

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

| рН | 2.5-3.5 | |
|--|--|--|
| Appearance | Clear to hazy colorless to yellow liquid | |
| Odor | Mild to no odor | |
| Odor Threshold | No information available | |
| Melting/freezing point | No information available | |
| Initial boiling point/boiling range | No information available | |
| Flash point | No information available | |
| Evaporation rate | No information available | |
| Flammability (solid, gas) | No information available | |
| Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits | No information available | |
| Vapor pressure | No information available | |
| Vapor density | No information available | |
| VOC content | No information available | |
| Specific gravity | 1.350-1.380; 11.3-11.5 lb/gal [bulk density] | |
| Solubility | Complete | |
| Partition coefficient n-octanol/water | No information available | |
| Auto-ignition temperature | No information available | |
| Decomposition temperature | No information available | |
| Viscosity | <50 cPs | |

10, STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions of storage and handling.

Hazardous polymerization

Polymerization will not occur.

Conditions to avoid

Extreme temperatures, incompatibilities

Incompatibilities

Strong acids, oxidizers

Hazardous decomposition

products

No known non-thermal decomposition hazards.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Likely routes of exposure

Skin, eyes, ingestion

Acute symptoms and effects

Eye

Severe eye irritation with serious damage including, but not limited to, tissue destruction, corneal opacification, and

temporary or permanent blindness.

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Product: Waterra W-01 Skin Skin irritation with or without pain, burning, itching,

> redness, and swelling. Symptoms may be exacerbated by open wounds, excoriations, rashes, or other skin breaches.

Gastrointestinal distress with or without nausea, vomiting, Ingestion

and diarrhea. May cause irritation or corrosion of the oral

and esophageal mucosa.

Inhalation Upper respiratory irritation with or without cough, watering

> of the eyes, and postnasal drip. Aspiration of liquid or vomit may cause severe respiratory distress, airway corrosion,

and acute lung damage.

Reproductive effects

No information available

Teratogenicity

No information available

Mutagenicity

No information available

Embryotoxicity

No information available

Sensitization to product

No information available

Synergistic products

No information available

Carcinogenicity

No components have been identified as carcinogenic by

OSHA, NTP, or IARC.

Chronic

No information available

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Aquatic toxicity

Polyaluminum chloride

| Parameter | Result |
|--|---------------|
| 96 hr LC ₅₀ , Zebra danio | 65.8 mg/L |
| 48 hr EC ₅₀ , Daphnia magna | 9.9-43.5 mg/L |

Persistence

No information available

Bioaccumulative potential

No information available

Mobility

No information available

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal

Dispose of in accordance with federal, state, and local

regulations.

RCRA status

As sold, discarded product would be considered a RCRA

hazardous waste based on the corrosive characteristics.

The EPA hazardous waste number is D002.

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14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

US Department of Transportation (DOT)

UN Number

UN2581

Proper shipping name

Aluminum chloride solution

Primary hazard class/division 8

Secondary hazard

None

Packing group

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Label

Corrosive

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazard Communication

Status

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EPA Registration Number

Not applicable

TSCA

The ingredients of this product are listed on the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) Chemical Substances

Inventory.

CERCLA

EPA Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 302)

| Chemical Name | CERCLA Reportable Quantity (RQ) |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Polyaluminum chloride | None |
| Non-hazardous substances | None |

SARA Title III (Sections 302, 311, 312, and 313)

Section 302 Extremely Hazardous Substances (40 CFR 355)

| Chemical Name | CAS# | RQ | TPQ |
|---------------|------|----|-----|
| None | | | |

Section 311 and 312 Health and Physical Hazards

| Immediate Delayed Fire | | Fire | Pressure Reactivity | | |
|------------------------|-----|------|---------------------|----|----|
| | Yes | Yes | No | No | No |

Section 313 Toxic Chemicals (40 CFR 372)

| Chemical Name | CAS Number | Percent by Weight |
|---------------|------------|-------------------|
| None | | |

16. OTHER INFORMATION

HMIS Ratings Health—2; Flammability—0; Reactivity—0

NFPA Ratings Health—2; Flammability—0; Reactivity—0;

Special Hazard—None

HMIS and NFPA Rating Scale Minimal—0; Slight—1; Moderate—2; Serious—3;

Severe-4

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