# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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# 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product identifier

Product Name LIQUID SOFTENER

Other means of identification

Product Code SS 5658

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use
Recommended Use Laundry fabric-softener.
Uses advised against Use only as stated on label.

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Suburban Supply

29 Kearney Road Needham, MA 02194 Phone: (781) 449-1042

Emergency telephone number

Emergency Telephone Chemtrec 1-800-424-9300

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

# Classification

### **OSHA Regulatory Status**

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Acute toxicity - Oral	Not classified
Acute toxicity - Dermal	Not classified
Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 1
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1

# Label elements

# **Emergency Overview**

# Danger

### **Hazard statements**

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage



Appearance Opaque Light Blue Physical state Liquid Odor Pleasant

### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Wash face, hands and any exposed skin thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific Treatment (See Section 4 on the SDS)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

IF ON SKIN (or hair): Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up

#### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

### Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

#### Other Information

Unknown Acute Toxicity

0% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

### 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Quarternium-53	68410-69-5	5-10	*
Citric Acid	77-92-9	1-5	*

<sup>\*</sup>The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

#### First aid measures

General advice Immediate medical attention is required.

Skin Contact Immediate medical attention is required. Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of

water while removing all contaminated clothes and shoes.

Eye contact Immediate medical attention is required Rinse immediately with plenty of water, also under

the eyelids, for at least 15 minutes Keep eye wide open while rinsing Do not rub affected

area

Inhalation Remove to fresh air. Call a physician or poison control center immediately. If not breathing,

give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen.

**Ingestion** Immediate medical attention is required. Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water.

Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Remove from exposure, lie down. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water. Call a physician or poison

control center immediately.

**Self-protection of the first aider**Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

# Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms No Information available.

#### Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Possible perforation of stomach or esophagus should be investigated. Do not give chemical antidotes. Asphyxia from glottal edema may occur. Marked decrease in blood pressure may occur with moist rales, frothy sputum, and high pulse pressure. Treat

symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

#### Suitable extinguishing media

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable extinguishing media Caution: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

# Specific hazards arising from the chemical

The product causes burns of eyes, skin and mucous membranes. Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors. In the event of fire and/or explosion do not breathe fumes.

#### **Explosion data**

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact None. Sensitivity to Static Discharge None.

#### Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

**Personal precautions** Evacuate personnel to safe areas. Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid

contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Keep people away from and upwind of spill/leak.

Environmental precautions

**Environmental precautions** Do not allow into any sewer, on the ground or into any body of water. Should not be

released into the environment. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Prevent

product from entering drains.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

**Methods for containment** Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up

Dike far ahead of liquid spill for later disposal. Soak up with inert absorbent material. Take

up mechanically, placing in appropriate containers for disposal. Clean contaminated surface thoroughly. Prevent product from entering drains. Dam up. After cleaning, flush away traces

with water.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

# Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling**Use personal protective equipment as required. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing.

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Use only with adequate ventilation and in closed

systems.

# Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Keep container tightly closed in a dry and well-ventilated place. Keep out of the reach of

children. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place. Keep in

properly labeled containers.

Incompatible materials Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

**Exposure Guidelines**This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational

exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies.

Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering Controls** Showers, Eyewash stations & Ventilation systems.

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

**Eye/face protection** Tight sealing safety goggles. Face protection shield.

**Skin and body protection**No special technical protective measures are necessary.

Respiratory protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be required for high airborne contaminant concentrations. Respiratory protection must be

provided in accordance with current local regulations.

General Hygiene When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Keep

away from food, drink and animal feeding stuffs. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Regular cleaning of equipment, work area and clothing is recommended. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Take off all contaminated clothing

and wash it before reuse. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state Liquid

Appearance Opaque Light Blue

Odor Pleasant Odor threshold No Information available

Property Values Remarks • Method

pH <

Melting point/freezing point

Boiling point / boiling range

No Information available
No Information available

Flash point None

Evaporation rate No Information available Flammability (solid, gas) No Information available

Flammability Limits in Air

Upper flammability limit:
Lower flammability limit:
Vapor pressure
Vapor density

No Information available
No Information available
No Information available

Specific Gravity 1.008 Water solubility dispersible

Solubility in other solvents
Partition coefficient
Autoignition temperature
Decomposition temperature
Kinematic viscosity
No Information available
No Information available
No Information available
No Information available

Viscosity No Information available No Information available

**Explosive properties**Oxidizing properties
No Information available
No Information available

# 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

#### Reactivity

No data available

# **Chemical stability**

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

### **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing.

### **Conditions to avoid**

Exposure to air or moisture over prolonged periods.

#### Incompatible materials

Incompatible with strong acids and bases. Incompatible with oxidizing agents.

#### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Thermal decomposition can lead to release of irritating and toxic gases and vapors.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# Information on likely routes of exposure

**Product Information**The primary effects and toxicity of this material are due to it corrosive nature.

**Inhalation** No data available.

Eye contact No data available.

**Skin Contact** No data available.

**Ingestion** No data available.

Chemical Name Oral LD50		Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Citric Acid	= 3000 mg/kg (Rat)	Yes	Yes
77-92-9			

#### Information on toxicological effects

**Symptoms** No Information available.

### Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

SensitizationNo Information available.Germ cell mutagenicityNo Information available.CarcinogenicityNo Information available.Reproductive toxicityNo Information available.STOT - single exposureNo Information available.STOT - repeated exposureNo Information available.

Chronic toxicity Chronic exposure to corrosive fumes/gases may cause erosion of the teeth followed by jaw

necrosis. Bronchial irritation with chronic cough and frequent attacks of pneumonia are common. Gastrointestinal disturbances may also be seen. Avoid repeated exposure.

Possible risk of irreversible effects.

**Aspiration hazard** No Information available.

# Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

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**Unknown Acute Toxicity** 

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# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### **Ecotoxicity**

8.91% of the mixture consists of components(s) of unknown hazards to the aquatic environment

Chemical Name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Crustacea
Citric Acid	Yes	1516: 96 h Lepomis macrochirus	120: 72 h Daphnia magna mg/L
77-92-9		mg/L LC50 static	EC50
Diethylene Glycol Yes		75200: 96 h Pimephales promelas	84000: 48 h Daphnia magna mg/L
111-46-6		mg/L LC50 flow-through	EC50

### Persistence and degradability

No Information available.

### **Bioaccumulation**

No Information available.

Chemical Name	Partition coefficient	
Citric Acid	-1.72	
77-92-9		

Other adverse effects No Information available

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal of wastes Disposal should be in accordance with applicable regional, national and local laws and

regulations.

Contaminated packaging Do not reuse container.

US EPA Waste Number D002

# 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**DOT** Not regulated

# 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

**International Inventories** 

TSCA Complies
DSL/NDSL Complies
EINECS/ELINCS Does not comply
AICS Complies

Legend:

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

EINECS/ELINCS - European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances/European List of Notified Chemical Substances

AICS - Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances

# **US Federal Regulations**

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#### **SARA 313**

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

### SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute health hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	Yes
Fire hazard	No
Sudden release of pressure hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

#### **CWA (Clean Water Act)**

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

#### **CERCLA**

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

# **US State Regulations**

### **California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

# **U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations**

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania
Diethylene Glycol	Yes	Yes	X
111-46-6			

### U.S. EPA Label Information

**EPA Pesticide Registration Number** Not Applicable

### **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPA_	Health hazards 3	Flammability 1	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Properties Yes
<u>HMIS</u>	Health hazards 3	Flammability 1	Physical hazards 0	Personal protection N/A

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No Information available

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