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# Safety Data Sheet according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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## 1 Identification of substance:

Trade name: Fi-CLOR ALKALINITY INCREASER (Bicarbonate)

Article number: 10007 Fi-Clor 1

Application of the substance / the preparation Water treatment

**Manufacturer/Supplier:** 

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#### Information in case of chemical emergency:

NCEC - Tel. +44 (0)208 762 8322

{N.AMERICA >>> ACEAN (Arch Chemicals Emergency Action Network) - Tel. +1 423 780 2970} CALL A LOCAL NATIONAL POISON CONTROL UNIT

FOR UK CONTACT NCEC Tel 01865 407 333

#### 2 Hazards identification

Hazard description: not applicable

Information concerning to particular hazards to man and environment not applicable

GHS label elements Void

# 3 Composition/information on ingredients

#### **Chemical characterization:**

**CAS No. Description:** 

144-55-8 sodium hydrogencarbonate

**Identification number(s):** 

**EINECS Number: 205-633-8** 

#### 4 First aid measures

General information No special measures required.

**After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.

**After skin contact** Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

After eye contact Rinse opened eye for several minutes (15) under running water. Then consult a doctor.

**After swallowing** If symptoms persist consult doctor.

### 5 Fire fighting measures

**Suitable extinguishing agents** CO2, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam. **Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

#### 6 Accidental release measures

Person-related safety precautions: Not required.

Measures for environmental protection: No special measures required.

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Measures for cleaning/collecting: Pick up mechanically.

Additional information: No dangerous substances are released.

## 7 Handling and storage

#### Handling

Information for safe handling: No special measures required.

**Information about fire - and explosion protection:** No special measures required.

#### Storage

Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements. Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.

Further information about storage conditions: None.

## 8 Exposure controls and personal protection gear

Additional information about design of technical facilities: No further data; see item 7.

Ingredients with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace: Not required.

Additional information: The lists valid during the making were used as basis.

#### Personal protective equipment

### General protective and hygienic measures

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.

**Respiratory protection:** Not required.

#### **Protection of hands:**

The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.

Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.

Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation

#### Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

#### Penetration time of glove material

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

Eve protection: Not required.

# 9 Physical and chemical properties:

#### **General Information**

Form: Powder Colour: White Odour: Odourless

#### **Change in condition**

Melting point/Melting range: undetermined Boiling point/Boiling range: undetermined

**Flash point:** Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gaseous) Product is not flammable.

**Ignition temperature:** 

**Decomposition temperature:** 70°C

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**Danger of explosion:** Product does not present an explosion hazard.

100.0 %

**Density at 20^{\circ}C:** 2.2 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Bulk density at  $20^{\circ}$ C: 700-1.150 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

Solubility in / Miscibility with

**Water at 20°C:** 95 g/l

pH-value (100 g/l) at 20°C: 6.5 Organic solvents: 0.0 %

## 10 Stability and reactivity

Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.

Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known

Dangerous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known

## 11 Toxicological information

Acute toxicity:

**Solids content:** 

**Primary irritant effect:** 

on the skin: No irritant effect. on the eye: No irritating effect.

**Sensitization:** No sensitizing effects known. **Additional toxicological information:** 

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects to our experience and the information provided to us.

The substance is not subject to classification according to the latest version of the EU lists.

# 13 Disposal considerations

**Product:** 

**Recommendation** Smaller quantities can be disposed of with household waste.

Uncleaned packaging:

**Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

# 14 Transport information

Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)

**ADR/RID class:** 

**Maritime transport IMDG:** 

**IMDG Class:** - **Marine pollutant:** No

Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:

ICAO/IATA Class: -UN "Model Regulation": -

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# 15 Regulations

#### Labelling according to EU guidelines:

Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals

The substance is not subject to classification according to EU lists and other sources of literature known to us.

The product is not subject to identification regulations under EU Directives and the Ordinance on Hazardous Materials (German GefStoffV).

#### **Safety phrases:**

2 Keep out of the reach of children.

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

46 If swallowed, seek medical advice immediately and show this container or label.

## \*16 Other information:

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

#### **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)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

IATA-DGR: Dangerous Goods Regulations by the "International Air Transport Association" (IATA)

ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organization

ICAO-TI: Technical Instructions by the "International Civil Aviation Organization" (ICAO)

GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

\* Data compared to the previous version altered.

