

SAFETY DATA SHEET

Product Name: Winterising Algaecide

1. Chemical product and company identification

Product name	Winterising Algaecide
Chemical name	Polymeric Quaternary ammonium compound and organic phosphonate
Product type and use	Swimming pools
Company identification	Swimmingpoolchemicals
Address and telephone number	Unit 1, Pool Bank Park High Street, Tarvin, Chester CH3 8JH
Emergency telephone number	01829 740290

2. Composition/Information on ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS No	Content %	Symbol	R-phrases(s)
Barquat PQ-2	25988-97-0		N	50
Copper Sulphate	7758-99-8		N	22
Polygon			XI	41

3. Hazards identification

Classification	Very toxic to aquatic organisms. Corrosive.
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4. First-aid measures

Skin contact	If skin irritation appears or persists, call a physician. Wash with water and soap as a precaution
Contact with eyes Ingestion	Immediately flush eye(s) with plenty of water. If eye irritation persists, consult a specialist.
Ingestion	Do not induce vomiting without medical advice. Immediately give large quantities of water to drink. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

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5. Fire-fighting measures

Suitable extinguishing media	Dry powder, water spray, foam
Specific hazards during fire fighting	Oxides of sulphur at high temperatures. Heating or fire can release toxic gas
Special protective equipment	Self contained breathing apparatus for fire fighting if necessary. Keep containers tightly closed in a cool, well ventilated place.
Additional advice	Water mist may be used to cool closed containers.

6. Accidental release measures

Personal precautions:	Use appropriate protective equipment
Environmental precautions:	Keep spill out of sewers and open bodies of water
Methods for cleaning up:	Sweep up spills into appropriate containers for recovery or disposal. Absorb with liquid-binding material.

7. Handling and Storage

Safe Handling advice: Advice on protection against fire And explosion	Good general ventilation. LEV may be required. Wear appropriate personal protection equipment.
Storage Requirements for storage areas and containers	Temperature range: Cool. Humidity range: Dry. Keep containers closed when not in use
Other data	Product quality will be affected by contact with anionic surfactants.

8. Exposure controls/Personal Protection

Personal protective equipment	
- Hygiene measures	Always wash thoroughly after handling chemicals.
- Respiratory protection	Type approved RPE for dusts if required.
- Hand protection	Rubber gloves
- Eye protection	Safety glasses
- Skin	Overalls and boots

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9. Physical and chemical properties

Appearance

State of aggregation	Liquid
Form	Viscous
Colour	Blue
Odour	Amine-like
pH	7.7 – 8.7 (100 g/l)
Setting point	< – 3°C
Boiling point/range	> 100°C
Density	1.10 g/cm ³
Water solubility	Completely miscible
Viscosity, dynamic	550 mPa.s (5°C) 200 mPa.s (25°C)

10. Stability and reactivity

Conditions to avoid
Hazardous reactions

No data available
Stable under normal conditions

11. Toxicological information

Acute oral toxicity (LD50)

>2000 mg/kg
Species: rat
Method: OECD Test Guideline 401

Skin irritation

Non-irritant
Species: rabbit
Exposure time: 4 h
Method: OECD Test Guideline 404

Eye irritation

Mild irritant
Species: rabbit
Method: OECD Test Guideline 405

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12. Ecological Information

Toxicity to fish (LC50)	0.27 mg/l Species: zebra fish Acute toxicity Exposure time: 96 h Method:OECD 203
Toxicity to Daphnia (EC50)	0.14 mg/l Species: Daphnia magna Immobilisation Exposure time: 48 h Method:OECD TG 202
Toxicity to algae (ErC50)	0.18 mg/l Species: Scenedesmus sp Growth inhibition Exposure time: 72 h Method: OECD TG 201
Toxicity to bacteria (EC50)	150 mg/l Species:activated sludge Respiration inhibition Exposure time: 3 h Method: OECD 209
Mobility Behaviour in environmental compartments	Adsorption/Soil Immobile
Persistence and degradability Stability in water	Abiotic degradation Hydrolytically stable Halflive value $\frac{1}{2}$:-> 360 d pH 4-9 Method: OECD Test Guideline 111
Biodegradability	Modified sturm test: 81.0% Testing period: 28 d Method: OECD 301B

13. Disposal Considerations

Waste from residues	The organic ingredients can be incinerated in a suitable installation when in accordance with local regulations.
Contaminated packaging	Where possible recycling is preferred to disposal or incineration.

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14. **Transport Information**

UN No	n.a.
Proper Shipping Name	n.a.
Packaging Group	n.a.
Transport	Not classified for transport
ADR Class	n.a.
ICAO/IATA/IMDG	n.a.

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15. Regulatory Information

Labelling according to Directive 88/379/EEC

Danger symbol(s)

Dangerous for the environment

R-Phrase(s)

R50: Very toxic to aquatic organisms

S-Phrase(s)

S61: Avoid release to the environment. Refer to special instructions/safety data sheets.

National legislation

Water contaminating class (Germany)

WGK 2: water endangering.

The statements made herein are based on our best present experience and are intended to describe product safety requirements. They should not therefore be considered as a warranty of specific properties.