

## Company Details:

# Waterwell Projects (PTY) LTD Reg No. 2001/018862/07

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# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE AND OF THE COMPANY

a) Identification of the substance or preparation:

**1.1 Trade / Commercial Name:** Waterwell Scale Out (packed 1L or 20L)

1.2 Chemical Name: Water soluble polycarboxylate1.3 Chemical family: Organic acids and derivatives

1.4 Synonyms: BULAB® 7041

**1.5 Un No.** 3265

1.6 CAS No.

1.7 Hazchem code:

# b) Information of Distributor:

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#### Alternate suppliers:

BUCKMAN LABORATORIES (PTY) LTD PO Box 591, Hammarsdale, 3700 1 Buckman Boulevard Hammarsdale

KwaZulu Natal Tel: 031 736 8800 Fax: 031 736 1593

Emergency telephone number: 0800 736 8800

## 2. COMPOSITION

All ingredients classified as hazardous to health or the environment, within the current knowledge of the supplier and in the concentrations applicable, have been reported above, in compliance with the Occupational Health and Safety Act 85 of 1993.

## 3. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

The product is not classified as dangerous according to Directive 1999/45/EC and its amendments.

Classification: Not classified

## 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

Product in the eye: Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water, occasionally lifting the

upper and lower eyelids. Check for and remove any contact lenses. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes. Get medical

attention if irritation occurs.

Product on the skin: Flush contaminated skin with plenty of water. Remove

contaminated clothing and shoes. Wash clothing before reuse.

Clean shoes thoroughly before reuse.

Product ingested: Wash out mouth with water. Remove dentures if any. Move

exposed person to fresh air. If material has been swallowed and the exposed person is conscious, give small quantities of water to drink. Stop if the exposed person feels sick as vomiting may be dangerous. Do not induce vomiting unless directed to do so by medical personnel. If vomiting occurs, the head should be kept low so that vomit does not enter the lungs. Seek medical attention.

Inhalation: If exposure by inhalation is suspected, immediately move exposed

individual to fresh air.

Note to physician: For specialist medical advice in the event of an emergency contact

0800 7368800.

#### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing Media: Use an extinguishing agent suitable for the surrounding fire.

Special Hazards: In a fire or if heated, a pressure increase will occur and the

container may burst. Promptly isolate the scene by removing all persons from the vicinity of the incident if there is a fire. No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or without suitable

training.

Protective Clothing: Fire-fighters should wear appropriate protective equipment and

self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) with a full face-piece operated in positive pressure mode. Clothing for fire-fighters (including helmets, protective boots and gloves) conforming to European standard EN 469 will provide a basic level of protection

for chemical incidents.

#### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions: No action shall be taken involving any personal risk or

without suitable training. Keep unnecessary and

unprotected personnel from entering. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Avoid breathing vapour or mist. Provide adequate ventilation. Wear appropriate respirator when ventilation is inadequate. Put on appropriate personal

protective equipment (see Section 8).

Environmental precautions: Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact

with soil, waterways, drains and sewers. Inform the relevant

authorities if the product has caused environmental

pollution (sewers, waterways, soil or air).

Large spill: Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area.

Prevent entry into sewers, water courses, basements or confined areas. Wash spillages into an effluent treatment plant or proceed as follows. Contain and collect spillage with non-combustible, absorbent material e.g. sand, earth, vermiculite or diatomaceous earth and place in container for disposal according to local regulations (see section 13). Dispose of via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Contaminated absorbent material may pose the same hazard as the spilled product. Note: see section 1 for emergency contact information and section 13 for waste

disposal.

Small spill: Stop leak if without risk. Move containers from spill area.

Dilute with water and mop up if water-soluble. Alternatively, or if water-insoluble, absorb with an inert dry material and place in an appropriate waste disposal container. Dispose

of via a licensed waste disposal contractor.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Handling: Put on appropriate personal protective equipment (see Section.

Eating, drinking and smoking should be prohibited in areas where this material is handled, stored and processed. Workers should wash hands and face before eating, drinking and smoking. Do not ingest. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing. Avoid breathing vapour or mist. Keep in the original container or an approved alternative made from a compatible material, kept tightly closed when not in use. Empty containers retain product residue and can

be hazardous.

Storage: Store in accordance with local regulations. Store in original

container protected from direct sunlight in a dry, cool and well-ventilated area, away from incompatible materials (see section 10) and food and drink. Keep container tightly closed and sealed until

ready for use. Containers that have been opened must be carefully resealed and kept upright to prevent leakage. Do not

store in unlabeled containers.

Use appropriate containment to avoid environmental

contamination.

#### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Occupational Exposure Limits: No exposure limit value known.

Occupational exposure controls: No special ventilation requirements. Good general

ventilation should be sufficient to control worker exposure to airborne contaminants. If this product contains ingredients with exposure limits, use

process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation or other engineering controls to keep worker exposure below

any recommended or statutory limits.

Hygiene measures: Wash hands, forearms and face thoroughly after

handling chemical products, before eating, smoking and using the lavatory and at the end of the working period. Appropriate techniques should be used to remove potentially contaminated clothing. Wash contaminated clothing before reusing. Ensure that eyewash stations and safety showers are close to

the workstation location.

Respiratory protection: Where exposures are below the established

exposure limit, no respiratory protection is required. When established limits are exceeded, or misting may occur in the work area, a NIOSH approved respirator may be required. Use a respirator approved for the material and level of exposure. Positive-pressure supplied air respirators may be

required for high airborne contaminant

concentrations. Respiratory protection must be provided in accordance with current local

regulations.

Hand protection: Use Chemical Resistant Gloves.

Eye protection: Chemical splash-proof goggles must be worn when

handling any chemical product.

Skin protection: Personal protective equipment for the body should

be selected based on the task being performed and

the risks involved.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical state: Liquid.

Colour: Clear to Slightly Hazy, Pale Yellow to Brown

Odour: Mild.
Ph: <4

Boiling Point:: 100°C

Melting Point: 0°C

Flash Point: Closed cup: >100°C

Density: 1.16 to 1.21 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Solubility in Water: Soluble in the following materials: cold water and hot

water.

#### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Stability: The product is stable.

Conditions to avoid: No specific data.

Hazardous Decomposition Products: Under normal conditions of storage and use,

hazardous decomposition products should

not be produced.

#### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Acute Toxicity LD50 Dermal Rabbit >2000 mg/kg

LD50 Oral Rat >5000 mg/kg

Chronic Toxicity: No known significant effects or critical

hazards.

#### 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Environmental effects: No known significant effects or critical hazards.

Aquatic Toxicity: Acute EC50 > 1040 mg/l Daphnia – Daphnia magna 48 hours

Acute LC50 >1100 mg/l Fish - Rainbow trout 96 hours

#### 13. DISPOSAL CONDITIONS

Disposal Method The generation of waste should be avoided or minimized

wherever possible. Significant quantities of waste product residues should not be disposed of via the foul sewer but processed in a suitable effluent treatment plant. Dispose of surplus and non-recyclable products via a licensed waste disposal contractor. Disposal of this product, solutions and

any by-products should at all times comply with the requirements of environmental protection and waste disposal legislation and any regional local authority requirements. Waste packaging should be recycled. Incineration or landfill should only be considered when recycling is not feasible. This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way. Empty containers or liners may retain some product residues. Avoid dispersal of spilled material and runoff and contact with soil, waterways, drains

and sewers.

Hazardous waste: Within the present knowledge of the supplier, this product is

not regarded as hazardous waste, as defined by EU

Directive 91/689/EEC.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

Un No.: 3265

SANS 10228: Not regulated IMDG: Not regulated IATA: Not regulated

## 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

Risk phrases: This product is not classified according to EU legislation.

International regulations

Chemical Weapons Not listed

Convention List Schedule I Chemicals:

Chemical Weapons: Not listed

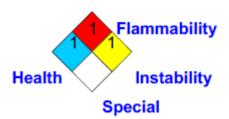
Convention List Schedule II Chemicals

Chemical Weapons: Not listed

Convention List Schedule III Chemicals

## **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

National Fire Protection Association (U.S.A.)



The information herein is given in good faith and to the best of our knowledge at the current date. The accomplishment of the instructions herein does not exempt the user from following the legal and administrative regulations relative to product, environmental safety and hygiene, which are user's own responsibility. In case of mixture with other substances, ensure that other risks are not generated.

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