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# **SECTION 1: Product and company identification**

Product name : Spa Swimming Pool Algaecide / Pool Side Surface Germicide

Use of the substance/mixture : Algicide Product code : 0420

Company : Athea Laboratories, Inc.

P.O. Box 240014

Milwaukee, WI 53224 - USA

T (414) 354-6417

Emergency number : Chemtrec: (800) 424-9300

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

#### 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

#### **GHS-US** classification

Acute Tox. 4 (Oral) H302 Skin Corr. 1B H314

Full text of H statements : see section 16

#### 2.2. Label elements

#### **GHS-US** labeling

Hazard pictograms (GHS-US)





GHS05 GH

Signal word (GHS-US) : Danger

Hazard statements (GHS-US) : Harmful if swallowed

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

Precautionary statements (GHS-US) : Do not breathe mist, spray

Wash thoroughly after handling

Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product Wear eye protection, protective clothing, protective gloves If swallowed: Call a POISON CENTER, a doctor if you feel unwell

If swallowed: rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

If on skin (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with

water/shower

If inhaled: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing

If in eyes: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present

and easy to do. Continue rinsing

Immediately call a doctor, a POISON CENTER

Rinse mouth

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

Store locked up

Dispose of contents/container to comply with local/regional/national/international regulations

# 2.3. Other hazards

No additional information available

# 2.4. Unknown acute toxicity (GHS US)

Not applicable

### **SECTION 3: Composition/Information on ingredients**

#### 3.1. Substance

Not applicable

Full text of H-phrases: see section 16

#### 3.2. Mixture

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Name	Product identifier	%	GHS-US classification
BENZALKONIUM CHLORIDE	(CAS No) 68391-01-5	3-7	Acute Tox. 3 (Oral), H301 Acute Tox. 2 (Inhalation), H330 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 STOT SE 2, H371 Aquatic Acute 1, H400 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410
Alkyl (68% C12, 32% C14) dimethyl ethylbenzyl ammonium chloride	(CAS No) 85409-23-0	3-7	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 4 (Dermal), H312 Skin Corr. 1B, H314 Aquatic Chronic 1, H410

A specific chemical identity and/or percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret. Any concentration shown as a range is to protect confidentiality or is due to batch variation.

#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

# 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : If you feel unwell, seek medical advice (show the label where possible). IF exposed or concerned:

Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after inhalation : Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing respiratory

symptoms: Call a poison center or a doctor.

First-aid measures after skin contact : Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Rinse skin with

water/shower. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

First-aid measures after eye contact : 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.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting. Immediately call a poison center or doctor/physician.

#### 4.2. Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/injuries : Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Harmful if swallowed.

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Irritation of the respiratory tract. Dizziness. Headache.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact : Caustic burns/corrosion of the skin.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage. Corrosion of the eye tissue. Permanent eye damage.

Symptoms/injuries after ingestion : Harmful if swallowed. Burns to the gastric/intestinal mucosa. Gastrointestinal complaints. Diarrhea.

Nausea. Vomiting.

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

Treat symptomatically.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media : All extinguishing media allowed.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Reactivity : Thermal decomposition may produce : Nitrogen oxides. carbon oxides (CO and CO2). ammonia.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions : Exercise caution when fighting any chemical fire. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed

containers. Take account of environmentally hazardous firefighting water.

Protection during firefighting : Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

# **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

# 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Isolate from fire, if possible, without unnecessary risk.

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Gloves. Protective goggles. Protective clothing.

Emergency procedures : Evacuate unnecessary personnel. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Ventilate spillage area.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Equip cleanup crew with proper protection.

Emergency procedures : Stop leak if safe to do so. Stop release. Ventilate area.

#### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Prevent soil and water pollution.

#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment : Contain released substance, pump into suitable containers.

Methods for cleaning up : This material and its container must be disposed of in a safe way, and as per local legislation.

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#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

No additional information available

#### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Obtain special instructions before use. Comply with the legal requirements. Do not handle until all

safety precautions have been read and understood. Use personal protective equipment as required. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing.

Hygiene measures : Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Technical measures : Comply with applicable regulations.

Storage conditions : Keep container closed when not in use. Protect from freezing.

Incompatible products : Strong oxidizing agents.

Storage area : Store in a dry area. Store in a cool area. Keep locked up.
Special rules on packaging : meet the legal requirements. Keep only in original container.

### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

#### 8.1. Control parameters

No additional information available

#### 8.2. Exposure controls

Decomposition temperature

Viscosity, kinematic

Viscosity

Personal protective equipment :

: Use appropriate personal protective equipment when risk assessment indicates this is necessary. Gloves. Safety glasses. Protective clothing.







### **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

#### 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid

Appearance Clear, colorless liquid. Odor slight detergent odor No data available Odor threshold рΗ No data available Melting point No data available Freezing point No data available Boiling point No data available > 200 °F Closed Cup Flash point Relative evaporation rate (butyl acetate=1) : No data available Flammability (solid, gas) No data available **Explosion limits** : No data available Explosive properties No data available No data available Oxidizing properties Vapor pressure No data available Relative density No data available Relative vapor density at 20 °C No data available Specific gravity / density 0.992 g/ml Solubility Soluble in water. Log Pow No data available Log Kow No data available Auto-ignition temperature No data available

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: No data available

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Viscosity, dynamic : No data available

VOC content : 1.1 %

#### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

Thermal decomposition may produce: Nitrogen oxides. carbon oxides (CO and CO2). ammonia.

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

#### 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Refer to section 10.1 on Reactivity.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

No additional information available

#### 10.5. Incompatible materials

Oxidizing agent.

### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

#### **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

#### 11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Acute toxicity Oral: Harmful if swallowed.

Skin corrosion/irritation Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Not classified Serious eye damage/irritation Not classified Respiratory or skin sensitization Germ cell mutagenicity Not classified Carcinogenicity Not classified Not classified Reproductive toxicity Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure) Not classified

Specific target organ toxicity (repeated

exposure)

: Not classified

: Not classified Aspiration hazard

Symptoms/injuries after inhalation : Irritation of the respiratory tract. Dizziness. Headache.

Symptoms/injuries after skin contact Caustic burns/corrosion of the skin.

Symptoms/injuries after eye contact : Causes serious eye damage. Corrosion of the eye tissue. Permanent eye damage. Harmful if swallowed. Burns to the gastric/intestinal mucosa. Gastrointestinal complaints. Symptoms/injuries after ingestion

Diarrhea. Nausea. Vomiting.

#### **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

No additional information available

# 12.2. Persistence and degradability

No additional information available

# 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

No additional information available

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste disposal recommendations : Dispose in a safe manner in accordance with local/national regulations.

#### **SECTION 14: Transport information**

# **Department of Transportation (DOT)**

Transport document description : UN1903 Disinfectants, liquid, corrosive n.o.s. (Quaternary Ammonium Chloride), 8, III

UN-No.(DOT) : UN1903

Proper Shipping Name (DOT) : Disinfectants, liquid, corrosive n.o.s.

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Class (DOT) : 8 - Class 8 - Corrosive material 49 CFR 173.136

Hazard labels (DOT) : 8 - Corrosive



Packing group (DOT) : III - Minor Danger

DOT Packaging Non Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 203 DOT Packaging Bulk (49 CFR 173.xxx) : 241

DOT Symbols : G - Identifies PSN requiring a technical name

DOT Special Provisions (49 CFR 172.102) : IB3,T4,TP1

DOT Packaging Exceptions (49 CFR

173.xxx)

DOT Quantity Limitations Passenger

aircraft/rail (49 CFR 173.27)

: 5 L

: 154

DOT Quantity Limitations Cargo aircraft

only (49 CFR 175.75)

: 60 L

: 153

DOT Vessel Stowage Location : A

**Additional information** 

Emergency Response Guide (ERG)

Number

Other information : This product may be eligible to be shipped as a Limited Quantity or Consumer Commodity ORM-D

utilizing the exception found at 49 CFR 173.154.

**ADR** 

No additional information available

Transport by sea

No additional information available

Air transport

No additional information available

#### **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

All components of this product are listed, or excluded from listing, on the United States Environmental Protection Agency Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA) inventory.

This product or mixture does not contain a toxic chemical or chemicals in excess of the applicable de minimis concentration as specified in 40 CFR §372.38(a) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR Part 372.

California Proposition 65 - This product contains, or may contain, trace quantities of a substance(s) known to the state of California to cause cancer and/or reproductive toxicity

This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labelling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Following is the hazard information as required on the pesticide label:

DANGER: Causes severe eye and skin damage. Do not get in eyes or on skin or clothing. Wear goggles and face shield and rubber gloves when handling. Harmful if swallowed. Avoid contamination of food. Wash thoroughly with soap and water after handling.

# **SECTION 16: Other information**

Training advice : Normal use of this product shall imply use in accordance with the instructions on the packaging.

# Full text of H-phrases:

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H301	Toxic if swallowed	
H302	Harmful if swallowed	
H312	Harmful in contact with skin	
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage	
H330	Fatal if inhaled	
H371	May cause damage to organs	
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life	

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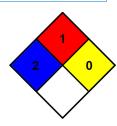
H410 Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects

NFPA health hazard : 2 - Intense or continued exposure could cause temporary incapacitation or possible residual injury

unless prompt medical attention is given.

NFPA fire hazard : 1 - Must be preheated before ignition can occur.

NFPA reactivity : 0 - Normally stable, even under fire exposure conditions, and are not reactive with water.



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