

Section 1 Material identification and supplier

Product name **DESTAINEX** No other names Other names

Product Code D2 Laboratory file AP005

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Summary Destainex is a white free flowing homogenous blend of alkaline and oxyalkaline particulate

solids with food standard and environmentally enhanced surfactants.

Suggested use In a hot aqueous solution to clean and remove wine colour film, protein, black mould/mildew,

algae and most organic stains and soils from stainless steel and various hard surfaces with an

antimicrobial action.

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Section 2 Hazards identification

Classification Hazardous product, non-dangerous goods.

IRRITANT (Xi)

Risk phrases R36/R37/R38 Irritating to the eyes, respiratory system and skin

Safety phrases S2 Keep out of the reach of children

> S36/S37/S39 Wear suitable protective clothing, gloves & safety glasses

Poisons schedule Not applicable

Section 3 Composition and information on ingredients

A mixture from Functional sodium alkaline salts

Proprietary chelate

Proprietary biodegradable surfactant - from plant derived and renewable substances

Further references Australian Inventory of Chemical Substances (AICS),

Chemical Abstract Service (CAS)



Section 4	First aid measures
First Aid facilities	Eye and hand washing station
Ingestion	The solid and its aqueous solution have a mildly caustic action. It is likely to cause a sore throat, diarrhoea, abdominal pain, nausea & vomiting. It will lead to the production of oxygen gas in the stomach with stomach distention and pain. Rinse the mouth with water. Give water to drink. Do not induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs wash out the mouth with water provided the victim is conscious. Depending on the quantity ingested, arrange for ambulance collection for transfer to hospital or contact the Poisons Information Centre 131 126 and/or seek immediate medical attention.
Eye	The dust and particles are likely to cause eye irritation, and extended granular contact may cause severe optic irritation, although permanent eye damage is not expected. Immediately irrigate with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes while holding eyelids open. Seek medical advice if irritation persists.
Skin	A moderate skin irritant. Repeated or prolonged contact with rubbing of granules of this material may lead to local redness, rash and dermatitis on sensitive skins. Wash affected skin with plenty of soap & water. Remove any contaminated clothing & wash before re-use. If irritation persists seek medical advice.
Inhaled	Repeated or prolonged inhalation of dust will cause sneezing and coughing. The vapours or mists from strong aqueous solutions may also irritate the mucous membranes & respiratory tract in some people. Remove the victim from the source of exposure to fresh air. Allow the patient to assume the most comfortable position. Keep the patient warm until fully recovered. Seek medical advice if coughing persists.
Advice to Doctor	Treat symptomatically.
Health effects	Except from ingestion, from available information, no adverse effects are anticipated from repeated over- exposures.
Section 5	Fire fighting measures
Specific hazards	Non-combustible material. A proportion of this product is an oxidising substance, and may support the combustion of other materials.
Fire-fighting advice	Decomposes on heating emitting toxic fumes. Fire fighters to wear self-contained breathing apparatus and suitable protective clothing if there is a risk of exposure to the products of decomposition. Keep the containers cool with water spray. Heating may cause expansion or decomposition which may lead to containers exploding. If safe to do so, remove the containers from the path of the fire.

or dry agent such as carbon dioxide or dry chemical powder.

Not combustible, but if this material is involved in a fire use a water fog or fine water spray, foam,

Extinguishing media



Section 6 Accidental release measures

- Ensure that the cleanup is conducted by trained personnel. Shut-off sources of ignition.
- Avoid creating airborne dusts when recovering spilt material. Avoid breathing any existing dusts.
- Increase ventilation on site if dusts are a problem.
- Wear appropriate protective equipment including boots, safety glasses, chemical resistant gloves and an approved respirator for particulate dust.
- Collect by sweeping or vacuuming, scoop, place and seal material in properly labelled containers or drums for disposal according to the local regulations.
- Wash-down affected area with plenty of water.
- Hard surface aqueous solutions may be slippery.

Section 7 Handling and storage

- Handle all packages with due care.
- Avoid contact with the skin and eyes.
- Store in a dry, ventilated, cool place (10-20 °C), and away from incompatible materials and foodstuffs, and out of direct sunlight and away from heat.
- Keep all containers sealed when the product is not in use to maintain quality.
- Check regularly for spillages.

Section 8 Exposure controls, personal protection

No value has been assigned for this specific material by the National Occupational Health Occupational

Exposure Limits and Safety Commission (NOHSC)

Published NOHSC Exposure Standard(s) for particulates. Nuisance dust: 8hr TWA = 10mg/m³

TWA Time weighted average airborne concentration over an 8 hour working day, for a 5 day

working week over an entire working life.

These exposure standards are only guides to be used in the control of occupational health hazards. All atmospheric contamination should be kept to as low a level as is workable. These exposure standards should not be used as fine dividing lines between safe and/or dangerous concentrations of chemicals. They are not a measure of relative toxicity.

Engineering Ensure ventilation is adequate and that air/material concentrations are controlled below

Control Measures quoted Exposure Standards. Avoid generating airborne dusts.

Appropriate work clothing and shoes/boots, safety glasses, chemical resistant (PPE) gloves, Personal Protective

Equipment dust mask/respirator (AS/NZS 1715,1716).

Other protective Always wash your hands before smoking, eating, drinking and using the toilet.

Wash contaminated clothing and other protective equipment before storage or re-use. measures



Section 9 Physical and chemical properties

Physical state Granular powder

Colour White

Odour Mild, detergent Molecular formula Not applicable Melting point Not applicable

Solubility in water Soluble in water ~150 g/L @ 60°C

Specific gravity ~1.05

Particle size Range 0.05 - 1.0 mm Flash point Not applicable

~10.5 - 10.9 (1% w/v aqueous soln.) рН

Active components 100%

Section 10 Stability and reactivity

- This material is stable when stored and used as recommended.
- As a concentrate it is mildly corrosive toward aluminium and galvanised steel in aqueous solutions combined with a long continuous contact time (bath).
- It will effervesce strongly in contact with an acid.
- This product is hygroscopic.
- Polymerisation will not occur.

Section 11 **Toxicological information**

No adverse health effects are expected if the product is handled in accordance with this safety data information and the product label. Symptoms or effects that can arise if this product is mishandled are discussed in Section 4 - First Aid Measures as above. The product is an irritant for the eyes and may irritate the skin and respiratory tract.

No information available for this product Long term effects

Technological data Alkaline substances Oral LD50 (rat) 2400 - 4220 mg/kg

Eyes (rabbit) Moderate irritant Skin Mild irritant (human)

Carcinogenicity The materials are not classified as carcinogenic. Mutagenicity The product is non-mutagenic, non teratogenic.

Section 12 **Ecological information**

Avoid contaminating the environment with concentrated material.

Avoid disposal to natural waterways with concentrated non-neutralized solutions.

Aqueous solutions of this product are highly biodegradable (< 30days) Degradability **Eco-toxicity** In a dilute agueous solution it is not expected to harm marine or aquatic life.

Section 13 Disposal considerations

Refer to the Waste Management Authority. Dispose of through a licensed waste contractor.



Transport information Section 14

Label In accordance with the SafeWork Australia 'Code of Practice' for workplace substances.

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Road/Rail transport

Code) for transport by road & rail.

Not Classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Marine transport

Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea.

Codes UN No. Not required

> **DG Class** Not applicable Not applicable Subsidiary Risk Packaging Group Not applicable Hazchem Code None allocated **EPG** Not required

Section 15 Regulatory information

Classification This product is hazardous according to the criteria of SafeWork Australia. IRRITANT (Xi)

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Poisons schedule Not applicable

Chemical Materials are listed on the AICS.



Other information Section 16

REFERENCES & SOURCES

Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances D.Sweet, US Dept of Health and Human Services: Cincinatti 2003.

HERA(Human & Environmental Risk Assessment) EU Report Summary - March 2002.

Safework Australia-National Occupational Health and Safety Commission. Approved Criteria for classifying Hazardous Substances [SafeWork:[1008(2004)] 3rd Edition

The criteria included in the Approved Criteria are adopted from European Community (EC) legislation for classifying dangerous substances.

Code of Practice for the Labelling of Workplace Hazardous Chemicals [WHS:2013]

APPROVALS and COMPLIANCE

Australia

The materials in Destainex assist companies to comply with the FSANZ (Food Standards Australia & New Zealand) Standards 1.2.1, 1.2.4, 1.2.6, 1.3.3, 1.4.3.

Destainex complies with the Dept. of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry (DAFF), Australian Quarantine Inspection Service (AQIS) and the Organic Federation of Australia (OFA) and affiliates approved substances for organic biodynamic food production.

The National Standard for Organic and biodynamic produce, Edition 3.4 of 1/7/2009 Item 9 - Retail/Wholesale/Export

Substances permitted for sanitation, storage handling, Page 56, Appendix 11, Annex A, Items 1, 3 and 4.

DISCLAIMER

This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of this product and general guidance on how to handle the material in the workplace.

If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact us from the information in the Materials and Supplier information - Section 1 herein.

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