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**SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking****1.1. Product identifier**

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**1.2. Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against****Use of the substance/mixture**

Use as laboratory reagent

**1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

Company name:	Waldeck GmbH & Co KG		
Street:	Havixbecker Str. 62		
Place:	D-48161 Münster		
Post-office box:	410180		
	D-48065 Münster		
Telephone:	+49(0)180/2247662	Telefax:	+49(0)180/1247662
Responsible Department:	Labor		
	Mo. – Do.: 08.00 – 17.00 Uhr, Fr.: 08.00 – 15.00 Uhr		
<b>1.4. Emergency telephone number:</b>	+49(0)180/2247662		

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification****2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture****Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008**

Hazard categories:

Flammable liquid: Flam. Liq. 2

Skin corrosion/irritation: Skin Corr. 1A

Serious eye damage/eye irritation: Eye Dam. 1

Hazardous to the aquatic environment: Aquatic Chronic 2

Hazard Statements:

Highly flammable liquid and vapour.

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Causes serious eye damage.

Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**2.2. Label elements****Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008****Hazard components for labelling**

acetone; propan-2-one; propanone

**Signal word:** Danger**Pictograms:****Hazard statements**

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

**Precautionary statements**

P210	Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
P241	Use explosion-proof electrical/ventilating/lighting equipment.

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P260	Do not breathe dust/fume/gas/mist/vapours/spray.
P273	Avoid release to the environment.
P280	Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection.
P301+P330+P331	IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting.
P303+P361+P353	IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
P304+P340	IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P305+P351+P338	IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P310	Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor.
P403+P235	Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

**2.3. Other hazards**

No information available.

**SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients****3.2. Mixtures****Hazardous components**

CAS No	Chemical name	Index No	REACH No	Quantity
	EC No			
	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]			
64-17-5	ethanol, ethyl alcohol			90 - < 95 %
	200-578-6			
	Flam. Liq. 2; H225			
5970-45-6	Zinc acetate dihydrate			1 - < 5 %
	209-170-2			
	Acute Tox. 4, Aquatic Acute 1, Aquatic Chronic 1; H302 H400 H410			
67-64-1	acetone; propan-2-one; propanone			1 - < 5 %
	200-662-2			
	Flam. Liq. 2, Eye Irrit. 2, STOT SE 3; H225 H319 H336 EUH066			

Full text of H and EUH statements: see section 16.

**SECTION 4: First aid measures****4.1. Description of first aid measures****General information**

First aider: Pay attention to self-protection! Remove affected person from the danger area and lay down.

**After inhalation**

Provide fresh air. Medical treatment necessary.

**After contact with skin**

After contact with skin, wash immediately with polyethylene glycol, followed by plenty of water. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention.

**After contact with eyes**

In case of contact with eyes flush immediately with plenty of flowing water for 10 to 15 minutes holding eyelids apart and consult an ophthalmologist.

**After ingestion**

Rinse mouth immediately and drink plenty of water. Do NOT induce vomiting. Adverse human health effects and symptoms: Gastric perforation. Call a physician immediately. Do not allow a neutralisation agent to be drunk.

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

No information available.

**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**Water spray jet, Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), Foam, Extinguishing powder.**5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture**

Highly flammable. Vapours can form explosive mixtures with air.

**5.3. Advice for firefighters**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing. Full protection suit.

**Additional information**

Use water spray jet to protect personnel and to cool endangered containers. Suppress gases/vapours/mists with water spray jet. Collect contaminated fire extinguishing water separately. Do not allow entering drains or surface water.

**SECTION 6: Accidental release measures****6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Remove all sources of ignition. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothes. Use personal protection equipment.

**6.2. Environmental precautions**

Do not allow uncontrolled discharge of product into the environment. Danger of explosion

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

Absorb with liquid-binding material (e.g. sand, diatomaceous earth, acid- or universal binding agents). Treat the recovered material as prescribed in the section on waste disposal.

**6.4. Reference to other sections**

Safe handling: see section 7

Personal protection equipment: see section 8

Disposal: see section 13

**SECTION 7: Handling and storage****7.1. Precautions for safe handling****Advice on safe handling**

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray.

**Advice on protection against fire and explosion**

Keep away from sources of ignition. - No smoking. Take precautionary measures against static discharges. Vapours can form explosive mixtures with air.

**7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities****Requirements for storage rooms and vessels**

Keep container tightly closed. Keep locked up. Store in a place accessible by authorized persons only. Provide adequate ventilation as well as local exhaust at critical locations. Keep in a cool, well-ventilated place. Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.

**Advice on storage compatibility**

Do not store together with: Oxidising agent. Pyrophoric or self-heating substances.

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**Further information on storage conditions**

storage temperature: at room temperature

**7.3. Specific end use(s)**

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**SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection****8.1. Control parameters****Exposure limits (EH40)**

CAS No	Substance	ppm	mg/m <sup>3</sup>	fibres/ml	Category	Origin
67-64-1	Acetone	500	1210		TWA (8 h)	WEL
		1500	3620		STEL (15 min)	WEL
64-17-5	Ethanol	1000	1920		TWA (8 h)	WEL
		-	-		STEL (15 min)	WEL

**PNEC values**

CAS No	Substance
Environmental compartment	Value
64-17-5	ethanol, ethyl alcohol

**8.2. Exposure controls****Appropriate engineering controls**

If handled uncovered, arrangements with local exhaust ventilation have to be used. Do not breathe gas/fumes/vapour/spray.

**Protective and hygiene measures**

Remove contaminated, saturated clothing immediately. Draw up and observe skin protection programme.

Wash hands and face before breaks and after work and take a shower if necessary. When using do not eat or drink.

**Eye/face protection**

Suitable eye protection: goggles.

**Hand protection**

When handling with chemical substances, protective gloves must be worn with the CE-label including the four control digits. The quality of the protective gloves resistant to chemicals must be chosen as a function of the specific working place concentration and quantity of hazardous substances. For special purposes, it is recommended to check the resistance to chemicals of the protective gloves mentioned above together with the supplier of these gloves.

**Skin protection**

Flame-retardant protective clothing. Wear anti-static footwear and clothing

**Respiratory protection**

In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

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**SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties****9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

Physical state:	liquid
Colour:	colourless
Odour:	characteristic

pH-Value (at 20 °C):	1
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**Changes in the physical state**

Melting point:	115 °C
Initial boiling point and boiling range:	78 °C
Flash point:	12 °C

**Flammability**

Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable
Lower explosion limits:	3,5 vol. %
Upper explosion limits:	15 vol. %

**Auto-ignition temperature**

Solid:	not applicable
Gas:	not applicable
Decomposition temperature:	not determined

**Oxidizing properties**

Not oxidizing.	
Vapour pressure:	not determined
Density:	not determined
Water solubility: (at 20 °C)	miscible

**Solubility in other solvents**

not determined	
Partition coefficient:	not determined
Vapour density:	not determined
Evaporation rate:	not determined

**9.2. Other information**

Solid content:	not determined
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**SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity****10.1. Reactivity**

Possibility of hazardous reactions. Highly flammable.

**10.2. Chemical stability**

The product is stable under storage at normal ambient temperatures.

**10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions**

Exothermic reaction with: Base, Peroxide, Oxidising agent.

**10.4. Conditions to avoid**

Keep away from sources of heat (e.g. hot surfaces), sparks and open flames. Vapours can form explosive

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mixtures with air.

**10.5. Incompatible materials**

Keep away from: Base, Oxidising agent, Peroxide.

**10.6. Hazardous decomposition products**

No known hazardous decomposition products.

**SECTION 11: Toxicological information****11.1. Information on toxicological effects****Acute toxicity**

CAS No	Chemical name				
	Exposure route	Dose	Species	Source	Method
64-17-5	ethanol, ethyl alcohol				
	oral	LD50 6200 mg/kg	Rat	IUCLID	
	inhalative (4 h) vapour	LC50 95,6 mg/l	Rat	RTECS	
5970-45-6	Zinc acetate dihydrate				
	oral	LD50 794 mg/kg	Rat	(RTECS)	
67-64-1	acetone; propan-2-one; propanone				
	oral	LD50 5800 mg/kg	Rat		
	dermal	LD50 20000 mg/kg	Rabbit	IUCLID	
	inhalative (4 h) vapour	LC50 76 mg/l	Rat		

**Additional information on tests**

This mixture is classified as hazardous according to regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP].

**SECTION 12: Ecological information****12.1. Toxicity**

Toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

CAS No	Chemical name					
	Aquatic toxicity	Dose	[h]   [d]	Species	Source	Method
64-17-5	ethanol, ethyl alcohol					
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 9268 - 14221 mg/l	48 h	Daphnia magna	IUCLID	
67-64-1	acetone; propan-2-one; propanone					
	Acute fish toxicity	LC50 5540 mg/l	96 h	Onchorhynchus mykiss		
	Acute crustacea toxicity	EC50 6100 mg/l	48 h	Daphnia magna		
	Acute bacteria toxicity	(59-67,4 mg/l)		Activated sludge		

**12.2. Persistence and degradability**

The product has not been tested.

according to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006

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CAS No	Chemical name			
	Method	Value	d	Source
	Evaluation			
67-64-1	acetone; propan-2-one; propanone			
	Readily biodegradable (according to OECD criteria).	91 %	28	
	(IUCLID)			
	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	1850 mg/g	5	
	(IUCLID)			
	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2070 mg/g		

**12.3. Bioaccumulative potential**

The product has not been tested.

**Partition coefficient n-octanol/water**

CAS No	Chemical name	Log Pow
64-17-5	ethanol, ethyl alcohol	-0,31
67-64-1	acetone; propan-2-one; propanone	-0,24

**12.4. Mobility in soil**

The product has not been tested.

**12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**

The product has not been tested.

**12.6. Other adverse effects**

No information available.

**Further information**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil.

**SECTION 13: Disposal considerations****13.1. Waste treatment methods****Advice on disposal**

Do not allow to enter into surface water or drains. Do not allow to enter into soil/subsoil. Dispose of waste according to applicable legislation.

**Contaminated packaging**

Non-contaminated packages may be recycled. Handle contaminated packages in the same way as the substance itself.

**SECTION 14: Transport information****Land transport (ADR/RID)****14.1. UN number:**

UN 1170

**14.2. UN proper shipping name:**

ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)

**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):**

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**14.4. Packing group:**

II

Hazard label:

3



Classification code:

F1

Special Provisions:

144 601

Limited quantity:

1 L

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Excepted quantity: E2  
Transport category: 2  
Hazard No: 33  
Tunnel restriction code: D/E

**Inland waterways transport (ADN)**

**14.1. UN number:** UN 1170  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 3  
**14.4. Packing group:** II  
Hazard label: 3



Classification code: F1  
Special Provisions: 144 601  
Limited quantity: 1 L  
Excepted quantity: E2

**Marine transport (IMDG)**

**14.1. UN number:** UN 1170  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 3  
**14.4. Packing group:** II  
Hazard label: 3



Special Provisions: 144  
Limited quantity: 1 L  
Excepted quantity: E2  
EmS: F-E, S-D

**Air transport (ICAO-TI/IATA-DGR)**

**14.1. UN number:** UN 1170  
**14.2. UN proper shipping name:** ETHANOL SOLUTION (ETHYL ALCOHOL SOLUTION)  
**14.3. Transport hazard class(es):** 3  
**14.4. Packing group:** II  
Hazard label: 3



Special Provisions: A3 A58 A180  
Limited quantity Passenger: 1 L  
Passenger LQ: Y341  
Excepted quantity: E2  
IATA-packing instructions - Passenger: 353  
IATA-max. quantity - Passenger: 5 L  
IATA-packing instructions - Cargo: 364  
IATA-max. quantity - Cargo: 60 L



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**14.6. Special precautions for user**

No information available.

**14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code**

not applicable

**SECTION 15: Regulatory information****15.1. Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****EU regulatory information**

2010/75/EU (VOC): 96 %

2004/42/EC (VOC): 96 %

**Additional information**

Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers. Observe restrictions to employment for juvenils according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC).

**National regulatory information**

Employment restrictions: Observe restrictions to employment for juvenils according to the 'juvenile work protection guideline' (94/33/EC). Observe employment restrictions under the Maternity Protection Directive (92/85/EEC) for expectant or nursing mothers.

Water contaminating class (D): 3 - highly water contaminating

**15.2. Chemical safety assessment**

Chemical safety assessments for substances in this mixture were not carried out.

**SECTION 16: Other information****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)  
IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods  
IATA: International Air Transport Association  
GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals  
EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances  
ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances  
CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service  
LC50: Lethal concentration, 50%  
LD50: Lethal dose, 50%

**Relevant H and EUH statements (number and full text)**

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H410	Very toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
H411	Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.
EUH066	Repeated exposure may cause skin dryness or cracking.

**Further Information**

The information is based on present level of our knowledge. It does not, however, give assurances of product properties and establishes no contract legal rights. The receiver of our product is singularly responsible for adhering to existing laws and regulations.

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*(The data for the hazardous ingredients were taken respectively from the last version of the sub-contractor's safety data sheet.)*