SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

**Product identifier**

**Product name:** CONCENTRATED SOAP SOLUTION  
Cat. No. 49900000

**Container size:** 1 l

**Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

**Application:** For automatic and ultrasonic cleaning of metallographic specimens.

**Uses advised against:** No specific uses advised against are identified. (*)

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

**Supplier:** Struers ApS  
Pederstrupvej 84  
DK-2750 Ballerup  
Tel:+45 44 600 800

**Responsible for material safety data sheet authoring:** Responsible for material safety data sheet authoring: DHI  
Any questions to the contents of this material safety data sheet should be sent to: struers@struers.dk

**Emergency telephone number**

National Capital Poison Center: 1-800-222-1222

Infotrac:  
1-800-535-5053  
Struers US:  
1-440-871-0071
SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification of the substance or mixture

OSHA 2012: Serious Eye Damage Category 1

Label elements

danger

Contains: Alcohol, C9-11 ethoxylated
H318 Causes serious eye damage.
P280 Wear protective gloves, eye and face protection.
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.

The product contains:
5% or over but less than 15%: non-ionic surfactants
Less than 5%: anionic surfactants, soap, BENZISOTHIAZOLINONE

Other hazards

Prolonged skin contact may cause redness and irritation. Mist may irritate throat and respiratory system.
PBT/vPvB: No information available.

SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Mixtures

The product contains: anionic surfactants, non-ionic surfactants, soap, glycols, water and preservative.

OSHA 2012:

%: CAS-No.: EC No.: REACH Reg. No.: Chemical name: Hazard classification: Notes:
5-15 68439-46-3 614-482-0 - Alcohol, C9-11 ethoxylated Serious Eye Damage Category 1
1-5 112-34-5 203-961-6 01-2119475104-44-xxxx Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether Eye irritant Category 2A
1-5 68585-34-2 500-223-8 - Sodium lauryl ether sulfate Skin Irritant Category 2
<0,005 2634-33-5 220-120-9 - 1,2-Benzisothiazolin-3-one Acute Oral Toxicity Category 4

Skin Irritant Category 2
Skin Sensitizer Category 1
Aquatic Acute Toxicity Category 1
SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES

Description of first aid measures

Inhalation: In case of inhalation of spray mist: Move person into fresh air and keep at rest.

Skin contact: Remove contaminated clothes and rinse skin thoroughly with water.

Eye contact: Immediately flush with plenty of water. Remove any contact lenses and open eyes wide apart. Call an ambulance and continue flushing during transportation to hospital taking along these instructions.

Ingestion: Immediately rinse mouth and drink plenty of water. Keep person under observation. If person becomes uncomfortable seek hospital and bring these instructions. Do not induce vomiting.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Symptoms/effects: See section 11 for more detailed information on health effects and symptoms.

Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Medical attention/treatments: Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES

Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Extinguish with alcohol-resistant foam, carbon dioxide, dry powder or water fog. Do not use water jet as an extinguisher, as this will spread the fire.

Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards: In case of fire, toxic gases may be formed.

Advice for firefighters

Protective equipment for firefighters: Selection of respiratory protection for fire fighting: follow the general fire precautions indicated in the workplace.

SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

For non-emergency personnel: Avoid inhalation of spray mist and contact with skin and eyes. For personal protection, see section 8.

For emergency responders: No specific recommendations. For personal protection, see section 8.

Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Avoid discharge onto the ground.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Spill Cleanup Methods: Absorb spillage with suitable absorbent material.

References: For personal protection, see section 8. For waste disposal, see section 13.
SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Safe handling advice: Avoid inhalation of spray mists and contact with skin and eyes. Observe good chemical hygiene practices.

Technical measures: Work practice should minimize contact.

Technical precautions: Local exhaust is recommended.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in tightly closed original container. Store at room temperature.

Specific end use(s)

Specific use(s): No information available.

SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Occupational exposure limits:

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Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Provide adequate ventilation. Observe Occupational Exposure Limits and minimize the risk of inhalation of vapors. Local exhaust is recommended.

Personal protection: Personal protection equipment should be chosen according to the ANSI standards and in discussion with the supplier of the personal protective equipment.

Respiratory equipment: In case of inadequate ventilation and work of brief duration, use suitable respiratory equipment. Use respiratory equipment with combination filter, type A2/P2.

Hand protection: Wear protective gloves. Nitrile gloves are recommended, but be aware that the liquid may penetrate the gloves. Frequent change is advisable. The most suitable glove must be chosen in consultation with the gloves supplier, who can inform about the breakthrough time of the glove material. Breakthrough time: > 60 min (*)

Eye protection: Wear goggles/face shield.

Skin protection: Wear apron or protective clothing in case of splashes.

Hygiene measures: Wash hands after handling.

Environmental Exposure Controls: Not available.
SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Form: Liquid.
Color: Yellow.
Odor: Characteristic
Odor threshold: Not available.
P: 11.2
10 (10%)
Melting point: Not available.
Boiling point: Not available.
Flash point: Not available.
Evaporation rate: Not available.
Flammability (solid, gas): Not available.
Explosion limits: Not available.
Vapor pressure: Not available.
Vapor density: Not available.
Relative density: 1.03
Solubility: Soluble in water
Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water): Not available.
Auto-ignition temperature (°F): Not available.
Decomposition temperature (°F): Not available.
Viscosity: Not available.
Explosive properties: Not available.
Oxidizing properties: Not available.

Other information

Other data: Volatile Organic Compound (VOC): 50.2 g/l (calculated)
SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity
Reactivity: No data available.

Chemical stability
Stability: Stable under normal temperature conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reactions
Hazardous Reactions: None under normal conditions.

Conditions to avoid
Conditions/materials to avoid: Heating.

Incompatible materials
Incompatible materials: Strong oxidizing substances, strong acids and strong bases.

Hazardous decomposition products
Hazardous decomposition products: In case of fire, toxic gases may be formed.

SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on toxicological effects
Acute Toxicity (Oral): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Acute Toxicity (Dermal): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Acute Toxicity (Inhalation): Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Skin Corrosion/Irritation: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Serious eye damage/irritation: Causes serious eye damage.
Respiratory or skin sensitization: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Germ cell mutagenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
National Toxicology Program (NTP): No.
I.A.R.C. Monographs: No.
OSHA: No.
Reproductive Toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - Single exposure: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
STOT - Repeated exposure: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Aspiration hazard: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
Inhalation: Spray mist may irritate the respiratory system.
Skin contact: Prolonged contact may cause redness and irritation.
Ingestion: May irritate and cause malaise.
Specific effects: Risk of long-term effects is expected to be minimal from occupational exposure.
SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Toxicity
Ecotoxicity: The product is not expected to be toxic to aquatic organisms.

Persistence and degradability
Degradability: The product is readily biodegradable.

Bioaccumulative potential
Bioaccumulative potential: Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether: log Pow 0,56

Mobility in soil
Mobility: Diethylene glycol monobutyl ether: log Koc=0,521864

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment
PBT/vPvB: No information available.

Other adverse effects
Other adverse effects: No information available.

SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods
Waste from residues: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.
Contaminated packaging: Dispose of waste and residues in accordance with local authority requirements.

SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION

The product is not covered by international regulation on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, DOT).

UN number
UN-No: -

UN proper shipping name
Proper Shipping Name: -

Transport hazard class(es)
Class: -

Packing group
PG: -

Environmental hazards
Marine pollutant: -

Special precautions for user
Special precautions: None known.

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code
Transport in bulk: Not relevant.
SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION

Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture

Special provisions:
- TSCA: Listed.
- NFPA Rating: Health: 2  Fire: 0  Reactivity: 0  Other:-

National regulation:
- Europe/USA:
  - This Material Safety Data Sheet has been prepared according to the EU-regulation.
  - Threshold Limit Values (2019), ACGIH, by the American Conference on Governmental Industrial Hygienists.

SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION

The user must be instructed in the proper work procedure and be familiar with the contents of these instructions.

The following sections contain revisions or new statements: 1, 8.
The (*) indicates the changes made with respect to the previous version.

Approved by DHI.

Abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet:
- PBT = Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic.
- vPvB = very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative.

Additional information:
- Classification according to HCS 2012:
  - Calculation method.

The information on this data sheet represents our current data and is reliable provided that the product is used under the prescribed conditions and in accordance with the application specified on the packaging and/or in the technical guidance literature. Any other use of the product which involves using the product in combination with any other product or any other process is the responsibility of the user.

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