

Safety Data Sheet

according to the REACH Regulation (EC) 1907/2006 amended by Regulation (EU) 2020/878 Issue date: 27/12/2022 Version: 1.1

SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture

Product name : HG grout cleaner
Product code : 591 ART
Type of product : Detergent
Product group : Trade product

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

1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Intended for general public

Main use category : Consumer use

1.2.2. Uses advised against

Restrictions on use : All other uses not recommended above

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Manufacturer

HG International B.V.
P.J. Oudweg 41
NL- 1314 CJ Almere
The Netherlands
T +31 (0)36 54 94 700
safety@hg.eu - www.hg.eu

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : +31 (0)36 54 94 777

Only for medical personnel

Mon-Fri 09:00 AM - 05:00 PM (CEST)

Country	Organisation/Company	Address	Emergency number	Comment
Ireland	National Poisons Information Centre Beaumont Hospital	PO Box 1297 Beaumont Road 9 Dublin	+353 1 809 2566 (Healthcare professionals- 24/7) +353 1 809 2166 (public, 8am - 10pm, 7/7)	

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1 H314
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1 H318

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

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

Causes severe skin burns and eye damage. Causes serious eye damage.

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2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Hazard pictograms (CLP)

GHS05

Signal word (CLP) : Danger

Hazard statements (CLP) : H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Precautionary statements (CLP) : P101 - If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P102 - Keep out of reach of children.

P280 - Wear eye protection, protective gloves.

P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.

Rinse skin with water or shower.

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 doctor, a POISON CENTER.

P501 - Dispose of contents and container to a hazardous or special waste collection point.

Child-resistant fastening : Applicable Tactile warning : Applicable

2.3. Other hazards

Contains no PBT/vPvB substances ≥ 0.1% assessed in accordance with REACH Annex XIII

The mixture does not contain substance(s) included in the list established in accordance with Article 59(1) of REACH for having endocrine disrupting properties, or substances identified as having endocrine disrupting properties in accordance with the criteria set out in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2017/2100 or Commission Regulation (EU) 2018/605 at a concentration equal to or greater than 0,1 %

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	Conc. (% w/w)	Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]
Isotridecanol, ethoxylated	CAS-No.: 69011-36-5 EC-No.: 500-241-6	≥ 0.1 – < 1	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Eye Dam. 1, H318
Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6 REACH-no: 01-2119457892- 27	≥ 0.1 – < 1	Met. Corr. 1, H290 Skin Corr. 1A, H314 Eye Dam. 1, H318

Specific concentration limits:			
Name	Product identifier	Specific concentration limits	
Isotridecanol, ethoxylated	CAS-No.: 69011-36-5 EC-No.: 500-241-6	(1 ≤C < 10) Eye Irrit. 2, H319 (10 ≤C < 100) Eye Dam. 1, H318	
Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda	CAS-No.: 1310-73-2 EC-No.: 215-185-5 EC Index-No.: 011-002-00-6 REACH-no: 01-2119457892- 27	(0.5 ≤C < 2) Skin Irrit. 2, H315 (0.5 ≤C < 2) Eye Irrit. 2, H319 (2 ≤C < 5) Skin Corr. 1B, H314 (5 ≤C ≤ 100) Skin Corr. 1A, H314	

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general : Call a physician immediately.

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

First-aid measures after skin contact : Rinse skin with water/shower. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Call a

physician immediately.

First-aid measures after eye contact : Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy

to do. Continue rinsing. Call a physician immediately.

First-aid measures after ingestion : Rinse mouth. Do not induce vomiting. Call a physician immediately.

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

Symptoms/effects after skin contact : Burns.

Symptoms/effects after eye contact : Serious damage to eyes.

Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Burns.

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. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire : Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained

breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not breathe spray, vapours.

Take off contaminated clothing. Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information

refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up : Take up liquid spill into absorbent material.

Other information : Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13.

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling : Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Do not

breathe spray, vapours. Wear personal protective equipment.

Hygiene measures : Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this

product. Always wash hands after handling the product. Remove contaminated clothes.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions : Store locked up. Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.

Storage temperature : 0 - 35 °C

7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
Ireland - Occupational Exposure Limits	
Local name	Sodium hydroxide
OEL STEL	2 mg/m³
Regulatory reference	Chemical Agents Code of Practice 2021

8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

No additional information available

8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

8.2. Exposure controls

8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls:

Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Emergency eye wash fountains and safety showers should be available in the immediate vicinity of any potential exposure.

8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):









8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

Eye protection:

Safety glasses with side shields

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Eye protection			
Туре	Field of application	Characteristics	Standard
Safety glasses with side shields	Normal use conditions		EN 166
Chemical goggles or face shield	Droplet		EN 166

8.2.2.2. Skin protection

Skin and body protection:

Chemical resistant safety shoes. Long sleeved protective clothing

Skin and body protection	
Туре	Standard
Use chemically protective clothing	EN 13034
Chemical resistant safety shoes	EN ISO 20345
Long sleeved protective clothing	

Hand protection:

Protective gloves

Hand protection					
Туре	Material	Permeation	Thickness (mm)	Penetration	Standard
Disposable gloves	Nitrile rubber (NBR)	6 (> 480 minutes)	0.35 mm		EN ISO 374
Disposable gloves	Butyl rubber	6 (> 480 minutes)	0.5 mm		EN ISO 374

8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

Respiratory protection:

In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

No additional information available

8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

Environmental exposure controls:

Avoid release to the environment.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state : Liquid Colour Colourless. Odour Odourless. Odour threshold Not available Not applicable Melting point Freezing point : Not available Boiling point : Not available Flammability : Non flammable. Explosive limits : Not available Lower explosion limit : Not available Upper explosion limit : Not available Flash point : Not available Auto-ignition temperature : Not available Decomposition temperature : Not available : 12.1 - 13.1 pH solution concentration : 100 %

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Viscosity, kinematic : Not available Solubility : Not available Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) : Not available Vapour pressure : Not available Vapour pressure at 50°C : Not available Density 1.0128 - 1.0228Relative density Not available Relative vapour density at 20°C : Not available Particle characteristics : Not applicable

9.2. Other information

9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

Not sustained combustibility : Yes

9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

None under recommended storage and handling conditions (see section 7).

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

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 hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

Isotridecanol, ethoxylated (69011-36-5)	
LD50 oral	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight
LD50 dermal rat	> 2000 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 402 (Acute Dermal Toxicity)
LD50 dermal rabbit	≈ 5960 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rabbit, Animal sex: male, Remarks on results: other:

Skin corrosion/irritation : Causes severe skin burns.

pH: 12.1 - 13.1

Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
рН	> 14

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Serious eye damage/irritation : Causes serious eye damage.

pH: 12.1 - 13.1

Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
рН	> 14
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified

Carcinogenicity : Not classified
Reproductive toxicity : Not classified
STOT-single exposure : Not classified
STOT-repeated exposure : Not classified

| Isotridecanol, ethoxylated (69011-36-5)

NOAEL (oral, rat, 90 days) | ≥ 500 mg/kg bodyweight Animal: rat, Guideline: OECD Guideline 408 (Repeated Dose 90-Day Oral Toxicity Study in Rodents)

Aspiration hazard : Not classified

11.2. Information on other hazards

No additional information available

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general : Before neutralisation, the product may represent a danger to aquatic organisms.

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term : Not classified

(acute)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term : Not classified

(chronic)

on one		
Isotridecanol, ethoxylated (69011-36-5)		
LC50 - Fish [1]	> 1 mg/l	
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	1.5 mg/l Test organisms (species): Daphnia magna	
EC50 - Other aquatic organisms [1]	> 1 mg/l waterflea	
EC50 96h - Algae [1]	11.5 mg/l Source: EPISUITE v4.1	
Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)		
LC50 - Fish [1]	> 35 mg/l	
EC50 - Crustacea [1]	40.4 mg/l Test organisms (species): Ceriodaphnia sp.	
EC50 - Other aquatic organisms [1]	> 33 mg/l waterflea	

12.2. Persistence and degradability

HG grout cleaner	
Persistence and degradability	The surfactant(s) contained in this preparation complies(comply) with the biodegradability criteria as laid down in Regulation (EC) No.648/2004 on detergents. Data to support this assertion are held at the disposal of the competent authorities of the Member States and will be made available to them, at their direct request or at the request of a detergent manufacturer.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda (1310-73-2)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-3.88

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12.4. Mobility in soil

Isotridecanol, ethoxylated (69011-36-5)

Mobility in soil 111.3 Source: EPISUITE v4.1

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

No additional information available

12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

12.7. Other adverse effects

No additional information available

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Regional legislation (waste)

: Dispose of in accordance with relevant local regulations.

Waste treatment methods :

: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number or ID n	umber			
UN 1760	UN 1760	UN 1760	UN 1760	UN 1760
14.2. UN proper shippin	g name			
CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda)	CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda)	Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda)	CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda)	CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda)
Transport document descr	iption			
UN 1760 CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda), 8, III, (E)	UN 1760 CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda), 8, III	UN 1760 Corrosive liquid, n.o.s. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda), 8, III	UN 1760 CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda), 8, III	UN 1760 CORROSIVE LIQUID, N.O.S. (Sodium hydroxide; caustic soda), 8 III
14.3. Transport hazard o	class(es)			
8	8	8	8	8
	8	8	8	8
14.4. Packing group				
III	III	III	III	III
14.5. Environmental haz	ards			
Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No Marine pollutant: No	Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No	Dangerous for the environment: No

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14.6. Special precautions for user

Overland transport

Classification code (ADR) : C9
Special provisions (ADR) : 274
Limited quantities (ADR) : 5I
Excepted quantities (ADR) : E1

Packing instructions (ADR) : P001, IBC03, LP01, R001

Mixed packing provisions (ADR) : MP19
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (ADR) : T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions : TP1, TP2

(ADR)

Tank code (ADR) : L4BN

Vehicle for tank carriage : AT

Transport category (ADR) : 3

Special provisions for carriage - Packages (ADR) : V12

Hazard identification number (Kemler No.) : 80

Orange plates : 80

80 1760

Tunnel restriction code (ADR) : E

Transport by sea

Special provisions (IMDG) : 223, 274 Limited quantities (IMDG) : 5 L : E1 Excepted quantities (IMDG) Packing instructions (IMDG) : P001, LP01 : IBC03 IBC packing instructions (IMDG) : T7 Tank instructions (IMDG) Tank special provisions (IMDG) TP1, TP28 EmS-No. (Fire) : F-A EmS-No. (Spillage) : S-B Stowage category (IMDG) : A

Properties and observations (IMDG) : Causes burns to skin, eyes and mucous membranes.

SW2

Air transport

PCA Excepted quantities (IATA) : E1 : Y841 PCA Limited quantities (IATA) PCA limited quantity max net quantity (IATA) : 1L PCA packing instructions (IATA) : 852 PCA max net quantity (IATA) 5L CAO packing instructions (IATA) 856 CAO max net quantity (IATA) 60L Special provisions (IATA) A3, A803 ERG code (IATA) 8L

Inland waterway transport

Stowage and handling (IMDG)

Classification code (ADN) : C9

Special provisions (ADN) : 274

Limited quantities (ADN) : 5 L

Excepted quantities (ADN) : E1

Carriage permitted (ADN) : T

Equipment required (ADN) : PP, EP

Number of blue cones/lights (ADN) : 0

Rail transport

Classification code (RID) : C9
Special provisions (RID) : 274
Limited quantities (RID) : 5L
Excepted quantities (RID) : E1

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Packing instructions (RID) : P001, IBC03, LP01, R001

Mixed packing provisions (RID) : MP19
Portable tank and bulk container instructions (RID) : T7
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions : TP1, TP28

(RID)

Tank codes for RID tanks (RID) : L4BN
Transport category (RID) : 3
Special provisions for carriage – Packages (RID) : W12
Colis express (express parcels) (RID) : CE8
Hazard identification number (RID) : 80

14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

15.1.1. EU-Regulations

REACH Annex XVII (Restriction List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XVII (Restriction Conditions)

REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

Contains no substance(s) listed on REACH Annex XIV (Authorisation List)

REACH Candidate List (SVHC)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the REACH Candidate List

PIC Regulation (Prior Informed Consent)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the PIC list (Regulation EU 649/2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals)

POP Regulation (Persistent Organic Pollutants)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the POP list (Regulation EU 2019/1021 on persistent organic pollutants)

Ozone Regulation (1005/2009)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Ozone Depletion list (Regulation EU 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer)

Detergent Regulation (648/2004)

Labelling of contents	
Component	%
anionic surfactants, non-ionic surfactants <5	

Explosives Precursors Regulation (2019/1148)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Explosives Precursors list (Regulation EU 2019/1148 on the marketing and use of explosives precursors)

Drug Precursors Regulation (273/2004)

Contains no substance(s) listed on the Drug Precursors list (Regulation EC 273/2004 on the manufacture and the placing on market of certain substances used in the illicit manufacture of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances)

15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

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SECTION 16: Other information

Abbreviations and acronyms:		
ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways	
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road	
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate	
BCF	Bioconcentration factor	
BLV	Biological limit value	
BOD	Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	
COD	Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level	
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level	
EC-No.	European Community number	
EC50	Median effective concentration	
EN	European Standard	
IARC	International Agency for Research on Cancer	
IATA	International Air Transport Association	
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods	
LC50	Median lethal concentration	
LD50	Median lethal dose	
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level	
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration	
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level	
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration	
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development	
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit	
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic	
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration	
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail	
SDS	Safety Data Sheet	
STP	Sewage treatment plant	
ThOD	Theoretical oxygen demand (ThOD)	
TLM	Median Tolerance Limit	
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds	
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number	
N.O.S.	Not Otherwise Specified	
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative	
ED	Endocrine disrupting properties	

Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Acute Tox. 4 (Oral)	Acute toxicity (oral), Category 4

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Full text of H- and EUH-statements:	
Eye Dam. 1	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 1
Eye Irrit. 2	Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2
H290	May be corrosive to metals.
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H314	Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.
H315	Causes skin irritation.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
Met. Corr. 1	Corrosive to metals, Category 1
Skin Corr. 1A	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1A
Skin Corr. 1B	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 1, Sub-Category 1B
Skin Irrit. 2	Skin corrosion/irritation, Category 2

This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.