

**Safety data sheet**  
**according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31**

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

- **1.1 Product identifier**
- **Trade name:** Tetra AquaSafe
- **Article number:** 801.674
- **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**  
No further relevant information available.
- **Application of the substance / the mixture** Care product for aquarium water
- **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**
- **Manufacturer/Supplier:**  
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Germany
- **Importer**  
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24-hour-Emergency-Telephone-Number (Company/Contract ID code:"TTR")  
+1 872 5888271

**SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

- **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**
- **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**  
The product is not classified, according to the CLP regulation.
- **Additional information:**  
In vitro test was conducted on a similar mixture - expert judgement.  
Result of the in vitro test according to OECD 442D for assessment of skin sensitisation: negative.  
Result of the in vitro test according to OECD 442E for assessment of skin sensitisation: negative.  
A classification for skin sensitisation is not needed.
- **2.2 Label elements**
- **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** Void
- **Hazard pictograms** Void
- **Signal word** Void
- **Hazard statements** Void
- **2.3 Other hazards**
- **Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** no
- **vPvB:** no
- **Determination of endocrine-disrupting properties** no

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### SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

#### 3.2 Mixtures

**Description:** Aqueous solution comprising several components.

#### Dangerous components:

CAS: 7420-89-5	Glutardialdehyd-bis-Natriumbisulfit	1.149%
EINECS: 231-043-5	⚠ Skin Irrit. 2, H315; Eye Irrit. 2, H319; Skin Sens. 1, H317	
Reg.nr.: 01-2120794285-43-XXXX		

#### SVHC

This product does not contain any substances of very high concern pursuant to Reach Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006 (Art. 57) above the legal concentration limit of  $\geq 0.1\%$  (w/w).

**Additional information** For the wording of the listed hazard phrases refer to section 16.

### SECTION 4: First aid measures

#### 4.1 Description of first aid measures

- General information** No special measures required.
- After inhalation** Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of symptoms.
- After skin contact** The product is not skin irritating.
- After eye contact** Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water.
- After swallowing** In case of persistent symptoms consult doctor.
- 4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed** No further relevant information available.
- 4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**  
No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media

#### Suitable extinguishing agents

CO<sub>2</sub>, extinguishing powder or water jet. Fight larger fires with water jet or alcohol-resistant foam.

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

No further relevant information available.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters

**Protective equipment:** No special measures required.

### SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

#### 6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Not required.

#### 6.2 Environmental precautions:

No special measures required.

Do not allow to enter drainage system, surface or ground water.

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

Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).

#### 6.4 Reference to other sections

See Section 7 for information on safe handling

See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.

See Section 13 for information on disposal.

### SECTION 7: Handling and storage

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling

No special measures required.

**Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.

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- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers:** No special requirements.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Not required.
- **Further information about storage conditions:** None.
- **Storage class 12**
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

### SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**
- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**  
The product does not contain any relevant quantities of materials with critical values that have to be monitored at the workplace.
- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.
- **8.2 Exposure controls**
- **Appropriate engineering controls** No further data; see item 7.
- **Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**  
The usual precautionary measures should be adhered to general rules for handling chemicals.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not required.
- **Hand protection**  
The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.  
Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation  
The protective gloves to be used must comply with the specifications of EC Directive 89/686/EEC and the related standard EN374, e.g. KCL 740 Dermatrill® (full contact), KCL 740 Dermatrill® (splash contact).
- **Material of gloves**  
Nitrile rubber, NBR  
Recommended thickness of the material:  $\geq 0.11$  mm
- **Penetration time of glove material**  
The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.  
For the mixture the penetration time has to be at least 480 minutes (permeation according to EN 374 Part 3: Level 6).
- **Eye/face protection** Safety glasses recommended during refilling.

### SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**
- **General Information**
- **Physical state** Fluid
- **Colour:** Blue
- **Odour:** slightly fruity
- **Odour threshold:** Not determined.
- **Melting point/freezing point:** -5 bis 5 °C
- **Boiling point or initial boiling point and boiling range** 100 °C (7732-18-5 water, distilled, conductivity or of similar purity)
- **Flammability** Not applicable.
- **Lower and upper explosion limit**
- **Lower:** Not determined.
- **Upper:** Not determined.
- **Flash point:** Not applicable
- **Self-inflammability:** Product is not selfigniting.

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· <b>Decomposition temperature:</b>	Not determined.
· <b>pH at 20 °C</b>	4.5
· <b>Viscosity:</b>	
· <b>Kinematic viscosity at 20 °C</b>	<20 mm <sup>2</sup> /s
· <b>dynamic at 20 °C:</b>	<20 mPas
· <b>Solubility</b>	
· <b>Water:</b>	Soluble
· <b>Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (log value)</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapour pressure at 20 °C:</b>	23 hPa
· <b>Density and/or relative density</b>	
· <b>Density at 20 °C</b>	1.018 g/cm <sup>3</sup>
· <b>Relative density</b>	Not determined.
· <b>Vapour density</b>	Not determined.

**9.2 Other information**

· <b>Appearance:</b>	
· <b>Form:</b>	Fluid
· <b>Important information on protection of health and environment, and on safety.</b>	
· <b>Explosive properties:</b>	Product is not explosive.
· <b>Solvent content:</b>	
· <b>Water:</b>	96.1 %
· <b>Solids content:</b>	3.8 %
· <b>Change in condition</b>	
· <b>Evaporation rate</b>	Not determined.

**Information with regard to physical hazard classes**

· <b>Explosives</b>	Void
· <b>Flammable gases</b>	Void
· <b>Aerosols</b>	Void
· <b>Oxidising gases</b>	Void
· <b>Gases under pressure</b>	Void
· <b>Flammable liquids</b>	Void
· <b>Flammable solids</b>	Void
· <b>Self-reactive substances and mixtures</b>	Void
· <b>Pyrophoric liquids</b>	Void
· <b>Pyrophoric solids</b>	Void
· <b>Self-heating substances and mixtures</b>	Void
· <b>Substances and mixtures, which emit flammable gases in contact with water</b>	Void
· <b>Oxidising liquids</b>	Void
· <b>Oxidising solids</b>	Void
· <b>Organic peroxides</b>	Void
· <b>Corrosive to metals</b>	Void
· <b>Desensitised explosives</b>	Void

## SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** No further relevant information available.
- **10.2 Chemical stability**
- **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions** No dangerous reactions known
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** No further relevant information available.
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** No further relevant information available.
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** No dangerous decomposition products known

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### SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**
- **Acute toxicity** 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** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation**  
Result of the in vitro test according to OECD 442D for assessment of skin sensitisation: negative.  
Result of the in vitro test according to OECD 442E for assessment of skin sensitisation: negative.  
In vitro test was conducted on a similar mixture - expert judgement.  
A classification for skin sensitisation is not needed.  
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.
- **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.
- **11.2 Information on other hazards**

#### · Endocrine disrupting properties

None of the ingredients is listed.

### SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:** No further relevant information available.
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
- **PBT:** The substances in the mixture do not meet the PBT criteria according to REACH, annex XIII.
- **vPvB:** The substances in the mixture do not meet the vPvB criteria according to REACH, annex XIII.
- **12.6 Endocrine disrupting properties**  
The product does not contain substances with endocrine disrupting properties.
- **12.7 Other adverse effects**
- **Additional ecological information:**
- **General notes:**  
Water hazard class 2 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): hazardous for water.  
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.  
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into soil.

### SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation** Smaller quantities can be disposed with household waste.
- **Waste disposal key number:** Waste key numbers are to be determined according to the specific process.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **Recommended cleaning agent:** Water, if necessary with cleaning agent.

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### SECTION 14: Transport information

· 14.1 UN number or ID number	
· ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
· 14.2 UN proper shipping name	
· ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	Void
· 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)	
· ADR, ADN, IMDG, IATA	
· Class	Void
· 14.4 Packing group	
· ADR, IMDG, IATA	Void
· 14.5 Environmental hazards:	Not applicable.
· 14.6 Special precautions for user	Not applicable.
· 14.7 Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments	Not applicable.
· UN "Model Regulation":	Void

### SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture
- Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 Void
- Hazard pictograms Void
- Signal word Void
- Hazard statements Void
- Directive 2012/18/EU
- Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I None of the ingredients is listed.

· **DIRECTIVE 2011/65/EU on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment – Annex II**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **REGULATION (EU) 2019/1148**

· **Annex I - RESTRICTED EXPLOSIVES PRECURSORS (Upper limit value for the purpose of licensing under Article 5(3))**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Annex II - REPORTABLE EXPLOSIVES PRECURSORS**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Regulation (EC) No 273/2004 on drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **Regulation (EC) No 111/2005 laying down rules for the monitoring of trade between the Community and third countries in drug precursors**

None of the ingredients is listed.

· **National regulations**

· **Water hazard class:** Water hazard class 2 (Self-assessment): hazardous for water.

· **Other regulations, limitations and prohibitive regulations**

· **Substances of very high concern (SVHC) according to REACH, Article 57**

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· **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

### SECTION 16: Other information

*These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.*

· **Relevant phrases**

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

· **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**

Used evaluation method:

Physical hazards - on basis of test data.

Health hazards - calculation method.

Expert judgement

Environmental hazards - calculation method.

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· **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

ADR: Accord relatif au transport international 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 Harmonised 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 (division of the American Chemical Society)

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

Skin Irrit. 2: Skin corrosion/irritation – Category 2

Eye Irrit. 2: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 2

Skin Sens. 1: Skin sensitisation – Category 1

· **\* Data compared to the previous version altered.**