



SAFETY DATA SHEET

LIQUID SILICON

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product name: LIQUID SILICON

CAS number: 1312-76-1

EINECS number: 215-199-1

Synonyms: POTASSIUM SILICATE

SILICIC ACID, POTASSIUM SALT

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

Use of substance / mixture: PC12: Fertilizers.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Company name: Growth Technology Ltd

Great Western Way

Taunton

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United Kingdom

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1.4. Emergency telephone number

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(office hours only)

Section 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification under CHIP: This product has no classification under CHIP.

Classification under CLP: This product has no classification under CLP.

2.2. Label elements

Label elements under CLP:

Precautionary statements: P102: Keep out of reach of children.

P101: If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.

P305+351+338: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P313: Get medical advice/attention.

P307+311: IF exposed: Call a POISON CENTRE or doctor.

P281: Use personal protective equipment as required.

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2.3. Other hazards

Other hazards: Irritating to skin. Irritating to eyes.

PBT: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

Section 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

Hazardous ingredients:

POTASSIUM SILICATE

EINECS	CAS	CHIP Classification	CLP Classification	Percent
215-199-1	215-199-1	Xi: R37/38; Xi: R41	-	1-10%

Section 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Skin contact: Drench the affected skin with running water for 10 minutes or longer if substance is still on skin.

Eye contact: Bathe the eye with running water for 15 minutes. Consult a doctor.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Wash out mouth with water. If conscious, give half a litre of water to drink immediately. Consult a doctor.

Inhalation: Move to fresh air in case of accidental inhalation of vapours. Consult a doctor.

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

Skin contact: There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness.

Ingestion: There may be irritation of the throat.

Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest. Absorption through the lungs can occur causing symptoms similar to those of ingestion.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Immediate / special treatment: Not applicable.

Section 5: Fire-fighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Extinguishing media: Suitable extinguishing media for the surrounding fire should be used. Use water spray to cool containers.

5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

5.3. Advice for fire-fighters

Advice for fire-fighters: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus. Wear protective clothing to prevent contact with skin and eyes.

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Section 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions: Refer to section 8 of SDS for personal protection details. Turn leaking containers leak-side up to prevent the escape of liquid.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions: Do not discharge into drains or rivers. Contain the spillage using bunding.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Clean-up procedures: Absorb into dry earth or sand. Transfer to a closable, labelled salvage container for disposal by an appropriate method.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections: Refer to section 8 of SDS.

Section 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Handling requirements: Avoid direct contact with the substance.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions: Store in cool, well ventilated area. Keep container tightly closed.

Suitable packaging: Must only be kept in original packaging.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s): PC12: Fertilizers.

Section 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

Workplace exposure limits: No data available.

DNEL/PNEC Values

DNEL / PNEC No data available.

8.2. Exposure controls

Engineering measures: Not applicable.

Respiratory protection: Respiratory protection not required.

Hand protection: Protective gloves.

Eye protection: Safety glasses. Ensure eye bath is to hand.

Skin protection: Protective clothing.

Environmental: No special requirement.

Section 9: Physical and chemical properties

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9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

State: Liquid

Colour: Colourless

Odour: Odourless

Solubility in water: Miscible

Boiling point/range°C: 100

Relative density: 1120 kg/m³

pH: >12

9.2. Other information

Other information: No data available.

Section 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity: Stable under recommended transport or storage conditions.

10.2. Chemical stability

Chemical stability: Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous reactions: Hazardous reactions will not occur under normal transport or storage conditions.

Decomposition may occur on exposure to conditions or materials listed below.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid: Heat.

10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid: Strong acids. Metals.

10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Haz. decomp. products: No data available.

Section 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Hazardous ingredients:

POTASSIUM SILICATE

ORAL	RAT	LD50	1600-3200	mg/kg
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Toxicity values: No data available.

Symptoms / routes of exposure

Skin contact: There may be mild irritation at the site of contact.

Eye contact: There may be irritation and redness.

Ingestion: There may be irritation of the throat.

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Inhalation: There may be irritation of the throat with a feeling of tightness in the chest. Absorption through the lungs can occur causing symptoms similar to those of ingestion.

Delayed / immediate effects: Immediate effects can be expected after short-term exposure.

Section 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecotoxicity values: No data available.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Persistence and degradability: No data available.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential: No data available.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility: Soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

PBT identification: This product is not identified as a PBT/vPvB substance.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects: No data available.

Section 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

Disposal operations: Transfer to a suitable container and arrange for collection by specialised disposal company.

Disposal of packaging: Clean with water. Dispose of as normal industrial waste.

NB: The user's attention is drawn to the possible existence of regional or national regulations regarding disposal.

Section 14: Transport information

Transport class: This product does not require a classification for transport.

Section 15: Regulatory information

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

15.2. Chemical Safety Assessment

Section 16: Other information

Other information

Other information: This safety data sheet is prepared in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010.

* indicates text in the SDS which has changed since the last revision.

Phrases used in s.2 and s.3: R37/38: Irritating to respiratory system and skin.

R41: Risk of serious damage to eyes.

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Legend to abbreviations: PNEC = predicted no effect concentration

DNEL = derived no effect level

LD50 = median lethal dose

LC50 = median lethal concentration

EC50 = median effective concentration

IC50 = median inhibitory concentration

dw = dry weight

bw = body weight

cc = closed cup

oc = open cup

MUS = mouse

GPG = guinea pig

RBT = rabbit

HAM = hamster

HMN = human

MAM = mammal

PGN = pigeon

IVN = intravenous

SCU = subcutaneous

SKN = skin

DRM = dermal

OCC = ocular/corneal

OPT = optical

INH = inhalation

PCP = physico-chemical properties

Legal disclaimer: The above information is believed to be correct but does not purport to be all inclusive and shall be used only as a guide. This company shall not be held liable for any damage resulting from handling or from contact with the above product.