

### **Section 01 Identification**

BioClear Block **Product Identifier** 

Other Means of Identification Not available

on Use

Product Use and Restrictions Solid bacterial-laden block for degrading organic waste in grease traps and lift stations

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# **Section 02 Hazard Identification**

### **Physical Hazards**

This product does not qualify for any physical hazard class under WHMIS 2015

#### **Health Hazards**

Serious eye damage / eye

irritation

Category 2B

Sensitization - respiratory Category 1B Sensitization - skin Category 1B

### Signal Word

### **Danger**

### **Hazard Statements**

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H320 Causes eye irritation.

H334 May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

#### **Pictograms**



### **Precautionary Statements**

#### Prevention

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P261 Avoid breathing dust.

P264 Wash affected body parts thoroughly after handling.

P272 Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

P280 Wear protective gloves.

P284 In case of inadequate ventilation wear respiratory protection.

### Response

P303 P352 P333 IF ON SKIN (or hair): Wash with plenty of water. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical

P313 P362 P364 advice / attention. Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

P304 P340 P342 IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing

P311 respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

P305 P351 P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present

P337 P313 and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice or attention.

# Storage

Disposal

P501 Dispose of contents / container in accordance with all federal, provincial and / or local regulations including the Canadian Environmental Protection Act.

### **Hazards Not Otherwise Classified**

Not available

### Supplemental Information

Not available

### Section 03 Composition / Information on Ingredients

### **Hazardous Ingredients:**

Chemical name Common name(s) CAS number Concentration (w/w%)

Bacterial Complex NF Bacteria 68920-42-3 <99%

### Section 04 First-Aid Measures

### Description of necessary first-aid measures

Inhalation Remove source of exposure or move person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing. If experiencing

respiratory symptoms: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor. If breathing is difficult, trained personnel should

administer emergency oxygen if advised to do so by the POISON CENTER.

Ingestion Get medical advice / attention if you feel unwell or are concerned. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice

/ attention.

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**Skin** Take off immediately contaminated clothing, shoes and leather goods. Rinse skin with lukewarm, gently

flowing water / shower for 15 to 20 minutes. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice / attention.

Wash contaminated clothing before re-use, or discard. If exposed or concerned: Get medical advice / attention.

Eye contact

contact

Remove source of exposure or move person to fresh air. Rinse eyes cautiously with lukewarm, gently flowing water for several minutes, while holding the eyelids open. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do.

Continue rinsing for 15 to 20 minutes. Take care not to rinse contaminated water into the unaffected eye or onto

the face. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice / attention.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

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<sup>\*</sup>Exact concentration withheld as a trade secret.

Inhalation May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Ingestion May cause discomfort or nausea. Skin contact May cause an allergic skin reaction.

Eye contact Causes eye irritation.

**Further information** For further information see Section 11 Toxicological Information.

### Section 05 Fire Fighting Measures

Suitable extinguishing media Extinguish fire using extinguishing agents suitable for the surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

Not available

the chemical

**Specific hazards arising from** In the event of a fire oxides of carbon and nitrogen may be released.

for fire-fighters

Special protective equipment Wear NIOSH-approved self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical-protective clothing.

### Section 06 Accidental Release Measures

Personal Precautions / Protective Equipment / **Emergency Procedures**  Wear appropriate personal protective equipment (See Section 08 Exposure Controls and

Personal Protection). Stay upwind, ventilate area. Avoid breathing dust.

**Environmental Precautions** 

Prevent material from entering waterways, sewers or confined spaces. Notify local health

and wildlife officials. Notify operators of nearby water intakes.

Methods and Materials for **Containment and Cleaning** Up

Dry sweeping is not recommended. Pre-damping the material or use of a vacuum is preferred. Shovel into clean, dry, labeled containers and cover. Flush area with water.

# Section 07 Handling and Storage

Precautions for Safe Handling Use proper equipment for lifting and transporting all containers. Use sensible industrial

hygiene and housekeeping practices. Wash thoroughly after handling. Avoid all situations

that could lead to harmful exposure. Avoid generating dust.

Inspect containers for damage or leaks before handling. If the original label is damaged or missing replace with a workplace label. Have suitable emergency equipment for fires, spills

and leaks readily available.

**Conditions for Safe Storage** Store in a cool, dry, well-ventilated area, out of direct sunlight, away from heat sources and

> incompatible materials. Always store in original labeled container. Keep containers tightly closed when not in use and when empty. Empty containers may contain hazardous

residues. Protect label and keep it visible.

Incompatibilities Acids, such as sulphuric, nitric, hydrochloric, phosphoric, flurosilicic (HFSA), sulphonic,

acetic, citric, oxalic, and formic.

# Section 08 Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

#### **Exposure limits**

There are no known exposure limits for this product.

#### **Engineering controls**

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Ventilation Requirements Mechanical ventilation (dilution or local exhaust), process or personnel enclosure and

> control of process conditions should be provided in accordance with all fire codes and regulatory requirements. Supply sufficient replacement air to make up for air removed by

exhaust systems.

Other An eye wash bottle or eye wash station should be available, tested, and be in close

proximity to the product being handled in accordance with provincial regulations.

### Protective equipment

The following are recommendations only. It is the responsibility of the employer / user to conduct a hazard assessment of the process in which this product being used and determine the proper engineering controls and PPE for their process. Additional regulatory and safety information should be sought from local authorities and, if needed, a professional industrial hygienist.

Eye and face protection Where there is potential eye or face exposure, tightly fitting chemical goggles are

recommended. Contact lenses are not recommended; they may contribute to severe eye

injury.

Hand and body protection Disposable latex or nitrile gloves are recommended to prevent incidental contact. Butyl

rubber, neoprene, or PVC skin protection is recommended for extended contact. Leather

gloves are not recommended for chemical protection. Refer to manufacturer's

specifications for breakthrough times and permeability information; note that breakthrough times and permeability vary with temperature, application and age of material. Continued use of contaminated safety gear or clothing is not recommended; wash before reuse or

discard. Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.

Respiratory protection

In case of insufficient ventilation wear suitable respiratory equipment.

Thermal hazards Not available

# **Section 09 Physical and Chemical Properties**

#### **Appearance**

Physical state **Blocks** Colour Yellow Odour Musty

**Odour threshold** Not available

**Property** 

pН 6.0 - 8.0

Melting point / freezing point Not available Initial boiling point and

boiling range

Not available

Flash point Not applicable **Evaporation rate** Not available **Flammability** Not flammable Upper flammable limit Not available

Lower flammable limit Not available Vapour pressure Not available Vapour density Not available Relative density Not available Soluble in water Solubility

Partition coefficient: n-

Not available

octanol/water

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Auto-ignition temperature Not available **Decomposition temperature** Not available Viscosity Not applicable Specific gravity Not applicable

**Formula** Not applicable (mixture) Molecular weight Not applicable (mixture)

### Section 10 Stability and Reactivity

Not reactive under normal conditions of use. Reactivity

Stability This product is stable if stored according to the recommendations in Section 07.

Possibility of hazardous

reactions

Hazardous polymerization is not known to occur.

Conditions to avoid Avoid contact with incompatible materials.

Acids, such as sulphuric, nitric, hydrochloric, phosphoric, flurosilicic (HFSA), sulphonic, Incompatible materials

acetic, citric, oxalic, and formic.

Hazardous decomposition

products

Thermal decomposition may produce oxides of carbon and nitrogen.

### Section 11 Toxicological Information

### Acute Toxicity (LD50 values)

There is no available toxicity data for this product.

### Toxic Health Effect Summary

Chemical No known effects

characteristics

Skin May cause an allergic skin reaction. Ingestion May cause discomfort or nausea.

Inhalation May cause allergy or asthma symptoms or breathing difficulties if inhaled.

Eve contact Causes eye irritation.

Sensitization Repeated or prolonged contact may cause skin sensitizationRepeated or prolonged inhalation

exposure may cause asthma

Mutagenicity This product and its components at their listed concentration have no known mutagenic effects. Carcinogenicity This product and its components at their listed concentration have no known carcinogenic effects.

Reproductive toxicity

This product and its components at their listed concentration have no known reproductive effects.

Specific organ toxicity

This product and its components at their listed concentration have no known effects on specific

organs.

Aspiration hazard Not available **Synergistic** Not available

materials

# Section 12 Ecological Information

#### **Ecotoxicity**

there is no available toxicity data for this product.

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Biodegradability The domestic substance list categorizes all of the components of this product as non-

persistent.

**Bioaccumulation** The domestic substance list categorizes all of the components of this product as non-

bioaccumulative.

Mobility This product is water soluble, is not predicted to adsorb to soil and may contaminate ground

water.

Other adverse effects Not available

### Section 13 Disposal Considerations

Waste From Residues / **Unused Products** 

Dispose in accordance with all federal, provincial, and local regulations including the

Canadian Environmental Protection Act.

Contaminated Packaging Do not remove label, follow label warnings even after the container is empty. Empty

containers should be recycled or disposed of at an approved waste handling facility.

### Section 14 Transport Information

**UN** number Not available

UN proper shipping name and description

Not available

Transport hazard class(es) Not available Packing group Not available **Excepted quantities** Not available

**Environmental hazards** Not listed as a marine pollutant under Canadian TDG Regulations, schedule III.

Special precautions No special provisions ERAP index: not available Transport in bulk

MARPOL 73/78 and IBC Code:

This product is not listed in Chapter 17 of the IBC Code.

Additional information Secure containers (full or empty) during shipment and ensure all caps, valves, or closures

are secured in the closed position.

TDG PRODUCT CLASSIFICATION: This product has been classified on the preparation date specified at section 16 of this SDS, for transportation in accordance with the requirements of part 2 of the Transportation of Dangerous Goods Regulations. If applicable, testing and published test data regarding the classification of this product are listed in the references at section 16 of this SDS.

# Section 15 Regulatory Information.

NOTE: THE PRODUCT LISTED ON THIS SAFETY DATA SHEET HAS BEEN CLASSIFIED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE HAZARD CRITERIA OF THE CANADIAN HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS REGULATIONS. THIS SAFETY DATA SHEET CONTAINS ALL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY THOSE REGULATIONS.

All components of this product appear on the domestic substance list or are not required to be listed.

### Section 16 Other Information

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### Attention: Receiver of the chemical goods / SDS coordinator

As part of our commitment to the RDC Responsible Distribution® initiative, ClearTech Industries Inc. and its associated companies require, as a condition of sale, that you forward the attached Safety Data Sheet(s) to all affected employees, customers, and end-users. ClearTech will send any available supplementary handling, health, and safety information to you at your request.

If you have any questions or concerns please call our customer service center.

#### References:

- 1) CHEMINFO
- 2) TOXNET
- 3) eChemPortal
- 4) ECHA
- 5) Transportation of Dangerous Goods Canada
- 6) HSDB
- 7) PAN

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