

# SAFETY DATA SHEET



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## 1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MATERIAL AND SUPPLIER

### Product identifier

Product Name TEKBENT  
Product Code(s) 000000052016

### Other means of identification

Pure substance/mixture Mixture

### Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use Component of a monolithic support grout.  
Uses advised against No information available.

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### Emergency telephone number

Emergency telephone number **1800 033 111 (ALL HOURS)**

Please ensure you refer to the limitations of this Safety Data Sheet as set out in the "Other Information" section at the end of this Data Sheet.

## 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### GHS Classification

Not classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG)

Classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

Skin corrosion/irritation	Category 2
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 2A

### **SIGNAL WORD**

Warning

### Label elements

Exclamation mark

**Hazard statements**

H315 - Causes skin irritation

H319 - Causes serious eye irritation

**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Wash hands thoroughly after handling

Wear protective gloves/eye protection/face protection

**Precautionary Statements - Response**

Specific treatment (see First aid on this SDS)

IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing if eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse

**Precautionary Statements - Storage**

No storage statements

**Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

No disposal statements.

**Other hazards which do not result in classification****Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)** None allocated**3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS**

Not applicable

**Mixture**

Chemical name	CAS No.	Weight-%
Sodium silicate	1344-09-8	10-<30%
Water	7732-18-5	to 100%

**4. FIRST AID MEASURES****Description of first aid measures****General advice**

For advice, contact a Poisons Information Centre (e.g. phone Australia 13 11 26; New Zealand 0800 764 766) or a doctor.

**Emergency telephone number**Poisons Information Center, Australia: 13 11 26  
Poisons Information Center, New Zealand: 0800 764 766**Inhalation**

Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

**Eye contact**

In case of eye contact, immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes. Get immediate medical advice/attention.

**Skin contact**

Wash off immediately with soap and plenty of water. Take off contaminated clothing and wash before reuse. Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

**Ingestion**

Do NOT induce vomiting. Clean mouth with water and drink afterwards plenty of water.

Drink 1 or 2 glasses of water. If swallowed, call a poison control center or physician immediately.

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

Symptoms Irritation/Corrosion.

**Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed**

Note to physicians Treat symptomatically.

**5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES****Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Suitable Extinguishing Media Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

**Unsuitable extinguishing media****Specific hazards arising from the chemical**

Specific hazards arising from the chemical Non-combustible, substance itself does not burn but may decompose upon heating to produce corrosive and/or toxic fumes.

Hazardous combustion products No information available.

**Special protective actions for fire-fighters**

Special protective equipment for fire-fighters Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters. In case of fire: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

**6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES****Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**

Personal precautions Extremely slippery when spilled. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Ensure adequate ventilation. Use personal protective equipment as required. See section 8 for more information.

Other information Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

For emergency responders Use personal protection recommended in Section 8.

**Environmental precautions**

Environmental precautions Keep out of waterways. Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages cannot be contained.

**Methods and material for containment and cleaning up**

Methods for containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Keep out of drains, sewers, ditches and waterways. Do not touch or walk through spilled material. Absorb or cover with dry earth, sand or other non-combustible material and transfer to containers.

Methods for cleaning up Cover liquid spill with sand, earth or other non-combustible absorbent material. Keep in suitable, closed containers for disposal. After cleaning, flush away traces with water.

## 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

### Precautions for safe handling

**Advice on safe handling** Use personal protection equipment. Avoid contact with skin and eyes. Avoid breathing vapors or mists. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

**General hygiene considerations** Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear suitable gloves and eye/face protection.

### Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

**Storage Conditions** Keep container closed when not in use. Keep cool. Protect from sunlight. Store in a dry place. Store in a closed container.

**Incompatible materials** Acids. Aluminium. Brass. Bronze. Copper. Lead. Tin. Zinc.

**Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)** None allocated

## 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

### Control parameters

**Exposure Limits** This product, as supplied, does not contain any hazardous materials with occupational exposure limits established by the region specific regulatory bodies

### Appropriate engineering controls

**Engineering controls** Eyewash stations.

### Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

The selection of PPE is dependent on a detailed risk assessment. The risk assessment should consider the work situation, the physical form of the chemical, the handling methods, and environmental factors.

OVERALLS, SAFETY SHOES, CHEMICAL GOGGLES, GLOVES.



**Eye/face protection**

Goggles.

**Skin and body protection**

Wear suitable protective clothing. Overalls. Protective shoes or boots.

**Hand protection**

Protective gloves.

**Respiratory protection**

No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

**Environmental exposure controls** No information available.

## 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on basic physical and chemical properties

**Physical state** Liquid  
**Appearance** Viscous  
**Color** Clear / Hazy Colourless  
**Odor** Odourless  
**Odor threshold** No information available.

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks • Method</u>
<b>pH</b>	10.7	None known
<b>pH (as aqueous solution)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Melting point / freezing point</b>	0 C approx	None known
<b>Boiling point / boiling range</b>	>100 C	None known
<b>Flash point</b>	Not applicable	None known
<b>Evaporation rate</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability (solid, gas)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Flammability Limit in Air</b>		None known
<b>Upper flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Lower flammability or explosive limits</b>	No data available	
<b>Vapor pressure</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Vapor density</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Relative density</b>	1.2@20C	None known
<b>Water solubility</b>	Miscible in water	None known
<b>Solubility(ies)</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Partition coefficient</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Autoignition temperature</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Decomposition temperature</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Kinematic viscosity</b>	No data available	None known
<b>Dynamic viscosity</b>	No data available	None known

### Other information

## 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

### Reactivity

**Reactivity** Reacts with strong acids.

### Chemical stability

**Stability** Stable under normal conditions.

### Explosion data

**Sensitivity to mechanical impact** None.

**Sensitivity to static discharge** None.

### Possibility of hazardous reactions

**Possibility of hazardous reactions** Reacts vigorously with acids evolving heat. Contact with metals (aluminum, zinc, tin) may release hydrogen gas. May react with ammonium salts resulting in evolution of ammonia gas.

**Hazardous polymerization** Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

**Conditions to avoid**

**Conditions to avoid** Extremes of temperature and direct sunlight. Exposure to air. Absorbs carbon dioxide on exposure to air.

**Incompatible materials**

**Incompatible materials** Acids. Aluminium. Brass. Bronze. Copper. Lead. Tin. Zinc.

**Hazardous decomposition products**

**Hazardous decomposition products** None known based on information supplied.

## 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Acute toxicity**

**Information on likely routes of exposure**

**Product Information** No adverse health effects expected if the chemical is handled in accordance with this Safety Data Sheet and the chemical label. Symptoms or effects that may arise if the chemical is mishandled and overexposure occurs are:

**Inhalation** Aerosol expected to be irritating based on components.

**Eye contact** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Skin contact** Causes skin irritation. Avoid contact with skin and clothing.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed. Ingestion may cause gastrointestinal irritation, nausea, vomiting and diarrhoea.

**Symptoms** Irritation/Corrosion.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information**

No information available.

**Numerical measures of toxicity - Component Information**

Chemical name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50
Sodium silicate	= 1960 mg/kg ( Rat )	> 4640 mg/kg ( Rabbit )	-
Water	> 90 mL/kg ( Rat )	-	-

See section 16 for terms and abbreviations

**Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure**

**Skin corrosion/irritation** Irritating to skin.

**Serious eye damage/eye irritation** Causes serious eye irritation.

**Respiratory or skin sensitization** No sensitization responses were observed.

**Germ cell mutagenicity** No information available.

<b>Carcinogenicity</b>	Not classified. This product does not contain any carcinogens or potential carcinogens as listed by OSHA, IARC or NTP.
<b>Reproductive toxicity</b>	This product does not contain any known or suspected reproductive hazards.
<b>STOT - single exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>STOT - repeated exposure</b>	No information available.
<b>Aspiration hazard</b>	Not classified.

## 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

### Ecotoxicity

**Ecotoxicity** Keep out of waterways.

Chemical name	Algae/aquatic plants	Fish	Toxicity to microorganisms	Crustacea
Sodium silicate	-	LC50: 301 - 478mg/L (96h, Lepomis macrochirus) LC50: =3185mg/L (96h, Brachydanio rerio)	-	EC50: =216mg/L (96h, Daphnia magna)

### Persistence and degradability

**Persistence and degradability** Not persistent in aquatic systems.

### Bioaccumulative potential

**Bioaccumulation** Bioaccumulation is not expected.

### Mobility

**Mobility in soil** Expected to be mobile in soil.

### Other adverse effects

**Other adverse effects** High concentrations may harm aquatic life by the effect on pH.

## 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

### Waste treatment methods

**Waste from residues/unused products** Dispose of in accordance with local regulations. Dispose of waste in accordance with environmental legislation. Dispose of contents/ container to an approved landfill.

## 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

### ADG

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the Australian Dangerous Goods Code (ADG Code) for transport by Road and Rail; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

**IATA**

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Regulations for transport by air; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

**IMDG**

Not classified as Dangerous Goods by the criteria of the International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG Code) for transport by sea; NON-DANGEROUS GOODS.

**15. REGULATORY INFORMATION****Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture****National regulations****Australia**

Not classified as dangerous goods in accordance with the Australian Code for the Transport of Dangerous Goods by Road and Rail (ADG)

Classified as a hazardous chemical in accordance with the criteria of Safe Work Australia - Globally Harmonized System (GHS).

See section 8 for national exposure control parameters

**Poisons Schedule (SUSMP)**                      None allocated

**International Inventories****AIIC**

All the constituents of this material are listed on the Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals.

**Legend:**

- Australian Inventory of Industrial Chemicals

**International Regulations**

**The Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer** Not applicable

**The Stockholm Convention on Persistent Organic Pollutants** Not applicable

**The Rotterdam Convention** Not applicable

**16. OTHER INFORMATION**

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This Safety Data Sheet has been prepared by Ixom Operations Pty Ltd (Toxicology and SDS Services).

**Revision Note:**

The symbol (\*) in the margin of this SDS indicates that this line has been revised.

**Key or legend to abbreviations and acronyms used in the safety data sheet**

Legend Section 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION



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TWA Ceiling C	TWA (time-weighted average) Maximum limit value Carcinogen	STEL *	STEL (Short Term Exposure Limit) Skin designation
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**Key literature references and sources for data used to compile the SDS**

EPA (Environmental Protection Agency)  
Acute Exposure Guideline Level(s) (AEGL(s))  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency High Production Volume Chemicals  
Food Research Journal  
Hazardous Substance Database  
International Uniform Chemical Information Database (IUCLID)  
Japan GHS Classification  
Australian Industrial Chemicals Introduction Scheme (AICIS)  
NIOSH (National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health)  
National Library of Medicine's ChemID Plus (NLM CIP)  
National Library of Medicine's PubMed database (NLM PUBMED)  
National Toxicology Program (NTP)  
New Zealand's Chemical Classification and Information Database (CCID)  
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Environment, Health, and Safety Publications  
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development High Production Volume Chemicals Program  
Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development Screening Information Data Set  
RTECS (Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances)  
World Health Organization

**Disclaimer**

**This SDS summarises to our best knowledge at the date of issue, the chemical health and safety hazards of the material and general guidance on how to safely handle the material in the workplace. Since The Supplier cannot anticipate or control the conditions under which the product may be used, each user must, prior to usage, assess and control the risks arising from its use of the material.**

**If clarification or further information is needed, the user should contact their Supplier representative or The Supplier at the contact details on page 1.**

**The Supplier's responsibility for the material as shipped is subject to the terms and conditions of sale, a copy of which is available upon request.**

**End of Safety Data Sheet**