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#### 1 Identification of substance:

- · Product details:
- · Trade name: RM 760 Press & ex Powder
- · Application of the substance / the preparation Spray extraction cleaner
- · Manufacturer/Supplier:

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· Information in case of emergency: Tel.: 0049-30-19240

#### 2 Composition/Data on components:

- · Chemical characterization
- · Description:

Mixture of substances listed below with non-hazardous additions.

Cleaning agent

· Dangerous components:

	fatty alcohol ethoxylate + 12 EO	Xn; R 22-41	2.5-<5%
.5	isotridecanolethoxylate + 8 EO	Xn; R 22-41	< 2.5%

· Additional information For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

## 3 Hazard identification

- · Hazard description: not applicable
- · Information concerning to particular hazards to man and environment not applicable
- · Additional information:

The product does not contain any organic halogen compounds (AOX), nitrates, heavy metal compounds.

#### 4 First aid measures

- · General information No special measures required.
- · After inhalation Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of complaints.
- · After skin contact

Generally the product does not irritate the skin.

Rinse with warm water.

· After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult a doctor.

· After swallowing

Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.

If symptoms persist consult doctor.

#### 5 Fire fighting measures

· Suitable extinguishing agents

CO2, powder or water spray. Fight larger fires with water spray or alcohol resistant foam.

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· Protective equipment: No special measures required.

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#### 6 Accidental release measures

- · Person-related safety precautions: Not required.
- · Measures for environmental protection:

Dilute with plenty of water.

Do not allow to penetrate the ground/soil.

- · Measures for cleaning/collecting: Pick up mechanically.
- · Additional information: No dangerous substances are released.

## 7 Handling and storage

- · Handling
- · Information for safe handling: No special measures required.
- · Information about fire and explosion protection: No special measures required.
- · Storage
- Requirements to be met by storerooms and receptacles: No special requirements.
- · Information about storage in one common storage facility: Not required.
- · Further information about storage conditions:

Protect from humidity and water.

Keep receptacle tightly sealed.

· Storage class VCI storage class: 12

## 8 Exposure controls and personal protection gear

- · Additional information about design of technical facilities: No further data; see item 7.
- · Ingredients 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 valid during the making were used as basis.
- · Personal protective equipment
- · General protective and hygienic measures

Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.

The usual precautionary measures are to be adhered to when handling chemicals.

- · Respiratory protection: Not necessary if room is well-ventilated.
- · Protection of hands:

Rubber gloves

\* chemical resistant protective gloves (EN 374)

· Material of gloves

The selection of the suitable gloves does not only depend on the material, but also on further marks of quality and varies from manufacturer to manufacturer.

· Penetration time of glove material

The exact break trough time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.

- · For the permanent contact gloves made of the following materials are suitable:
- \* butyl rubber 0,7 mm, 480 min
- · As protection from splashes gloves made of the following materials are suitable: Rubber gloves
- $\cdot \textit{Eye protection: } Goggles \ recommended \ during \ refilling.$

#### 9 Physical and chemical properties:

· General Information

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Colour: Odour:	White Characteristic	
· Change in condition Melting point/Melting range: Boiling point/Boiling range:		
· Flash point:	Not applicable	
· Self-igniting:	Product is not selfigniting.	
· Danger of explosion:	Product does not present an explosion hazard.	
· Density at 20°C:	0.78 g/cm <sup>3</sup> (10 %)	
· Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:	Soluble	
· pH-value at 20°C:	8.5 (10 %)	
· Solvent content: Organic solvents:	0.0 %	
· Solids content:	96.8 %	

### 10 Stability and reactivity

- · Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided: No decomposition if used according to specifications.
- · Dangerous reactions No dangerous reactions known
- · Dangerous decomposition products: No dangerous decomposition products known

## 11 Toxicological information

- · Acute toxicity:
- · Primary irritant effect:
- · on the skin: No irritant effect.
- · on the eye: No irritating effect.
- · Sensitization: No sensitizing effects known.
- · Additional toxicological information:

The product is not subject to classification according to the calculation method of the General EU Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version.

When used and handled according to specifications, the product does not have any harmful effects to our experience and the information provided to us.

#### 12 Ecological information:

- · Information about elimination (persistence and degradability):
- · Other information: The product is biodegradable.
- · Ecotoxical effects:
- **Other information:** 165 mg O2/l (0,1 %)
- · General notes:

Water hazard class 1 (German Regulation) (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.

The product does not contain organically bounded halogens (AOX-free).

Do not allow undiluted product or large quantities of it to reach ground water, water course or sewage system.

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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.

## 13 Disposal considerations

- · Product:
- · Recommendation

Small amounts may be diluted with plenty of water and washed away. Dispose of bigger amounts in accordance with Local Authority requirements.

- · Waste disposal key: EWC-Code 060314
- · European waste catalogue

06 03 14 solid salts and solutions other than those mentioned in 06 03 11 and 06 03 13

- · Uncleaned packaging:
- · Recommendation: Non contaminated packagings may be recycled.
- Recommended cleansing agents: Water, if necessary together with cleaning agents.

### 14 Transport information

- · Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border)
- · ADR/RID class:
- · Maritime transport IMDG:
- · IMDG Class:
- · Marine pollutant: No
- · Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:
- · ICAO/IATA Class: -
- · Transport/Additional information: Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

#### 15 Regulations

· Labelling according to EU guidelines:

Observe the general safety regulations when handling chemicals

The product has not been classified and marked in accordance with EU Directives / respective national laws.

- · Safety phrases:
- 2 Keep out of the reach of children.
- · Special labelling of certain preparations:

Safety data sheet available for professional user on request.

- · National regulations
- $\cdot \textit{Waterhazard class:} \textit{Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water.}$

## 16 Other information:

This information is based on our present knowledge. However, this shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

A product information sheet can be provided if requested.

- · Relevant R-phrases
- 22 Harmful if swallowed.
- 41 Risk of serious damage to eyes.
- · Department issuing MSDS: Department PND-D
- · Contact:

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