# SAFETY DATA SHEET



Pure Guard Date: 7/24/2017

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

**Product Identifier** 

Product Name Pure Guard

Other Means of Identification

Product Class Quaternary Ammonium Chloride Compound

**EPA Registration Number** 1839-86-47050

Product Codes 5 Gal 141807

55 Gal 141805 275 Gal 141809

Recommended Use of the Chemical and Restrictions on Use

Recommended Use Sanitizer, Disinfectant, Deodorizer, Virucide, Mildewstat

**Details of the Supplier of the Safety Data Sheet** 

Manufactured For Hydro-Chem Systems, Inc.

6605 Broadmoor Ave SE, Caledonia, MI 49316

**Emergency Telephone Number** 

Company Phone Number 616-531-6420

Emergency Telephone - PERS 1.800.633.8253 #9120 (Emergency Contact for Hazardous Materials Accidents, Spills or

Leaks Only!

# 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

### Classification

# **Health Hazards**

Acute Toxicity, Oral	Category 4
Acute Toxicity, inhalation	Category 4
Skin corrosion/ Irritation	Category 1 Sub-Category B
Serious eye damage/eye irritation	Category 1
Specific target organ toxicity (single exposure)	Category 2

Signal Word DANGER

<u>Hazard Statements</u> Causes burns. Causes eye and skin irritation.

Harmful if swallowed. Contains material that may cause target organ damage, based on

animal data.

#### **OSHA/HCS** status:

This material is considered hazardous by the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200). This chemical is a pesticide product registered by the Environmental Protection Agency and is subject to certain labeling requirements under federal pesticide law. These requirements differ from the classification criteria and hazard information required for safety data sheets, and for workplace labels of non-pesticide chemicals. Read complete product label.



**NOTE:** Pictograms not permitted on label. EPA Reg. Product See section 15 Regulatory Information

Appearance Clear Physical State Liquid Odor Odorless

#### **Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Keep container tightly closed. Keep away from heat, sparks and flame. No smoking. Use only with adequate ventilation. Do not breathe mist or vapor. Wash thoroughly after handling. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Avoid release to the environment. Wear protective equipment as required.

#### **Precautionary Statements - Response**

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

**IF IN EYES:** Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

**IF ON SKIN (or hair):** Remove/Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing

Immediately call a POISON CENTER or doctor/physician

IF SWALLOWED: Immediately call a doctor or poison control center. Rinse mouth. DO NOT induce vomiting

#### **Precautionary Statements - Storage**

Store locked up. Keep container tightly closed when not in use. Store in a cool, well ventilated place. KEEP OUT OF REACH OF CHILDREN.

### **Precautionary Statements - Disposal**

Dispose of contents/container in accordance with all regulations.

# 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No	Weight-%
Alkyl dimethyl benzyl ammonium chloride	68391-01-5	< 6
Alkyl dimethyl ethylbenzyl ammonium chloride (C12-18)	68956-79-6	< 6

# 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

# First Aid Measures

**Inhalation** Move to fresh air. If breathing is difficult give oxygen. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Eye Contact Immediately flush with plenty of water. Remove contact lenses and continue flushing with

water for 15 minutes. Call a physician immediately.

Ingestion Do NOT induce vomiting. Rinse mouth. Call a poison control center or doctor immediately

for treatment advice. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

**Skin Contact** 

Take off contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with plenty of water for 15 minutes. Call a poison control center or doctor for treatment advice. Chemical burns must be treated by a physician. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### Indication of any Immediate Medical Attention and Special Treatment Needed

If the product is ingested, probable mucosal damage may contraindicate the use of gastric lavage.

Note to Physicians Treat symptomatically.

# 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

### **Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Water fog, foam, dry chemical powder. Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

### **Unsuitable Extinguishing Media**

Do not use water jet.

### Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

During fire, gasses hazardous to health may be formed. Use water spray to keep fire-exposed containers cool.

### **Protective Equipment and Precautions for Firefighters**

Wear a self-contained breathing apparatus and chemical protective clothing.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

### Personal Precautions, Protective Equipment and Emergency Procedures

Personal Precautions Immediately evacuate personnel to safe areas. Eliminate all ignition sources (no smoking,

flares, sparks, or flames in immediate area). Wear appropriate protective equipment and

clothing during clean-up. Do not breathe vapors.

### Methods and Material for Containment and Cleaning Up

**Methods for Containment** Keep unnecessary and unprotected personnel away. Shut off all ignition sources. Prevent

further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Local authorities should be advised if significant

spillages cannot be contained.

Methods for Cleaning Up

Use a non-combustible material like vermiculite, sand or earth to soak up the product and

place into container for later disposal. Do not flush into surface water or sanitary sewer

system. Dispose of the waste material according to local, state and government

requirements. Following product recovery, flush area with water.

# 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

#### **Precautions for Safe Handling**

Advice on Safe Handling Vapors may form explosive mixtures with air. Do not handle, store or open near and open

flame or other source of heat or ignition. Protect material from direct sunlight. All equipment used when handling product must be grounded. Do not breathe vapor. Use personal protective equipment as required. Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Avoid contact with skin, eyes or clothing. Do not taste or swallow. In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment. Use only with adequate

ventilation or outdoors. Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

#### Conditions for Safe Storage, Including any Incompatibilities

Storage Conditions Store locked up. Keep containers tightly closed in a dry, cool and well ventilated place

with a temperature not lower than 50°F or higher than 120°F. Keep away from heat, sparks and open flame. Store out of direct sunlight, and away from incompatible materials.

Incompatible Materials Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, anionic surfactants.

# 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### **Exposure Guidelines**

No information available regarding exposure limits.

### **Appropriate Engineering Controls**

Engineering Controls Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas. Eye wash facilities and

emergency shower must be available when handling this product.

### Individual Protection Measures, such as Personal Protective Equipment

**Eye/Face Protection** Tight sealing safety goggles, face protection shield.

**Skin and Body Protection** Wear protective gloves.

Respiratory Protection If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, NIOSH/MSHA approved

respiratory protection should be worn. Positive pressure supplied respirators may be

required for high airborne contaminant concentrations.

General Hygiene Considerations When using this product do not eat, drink, or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before

reuse. Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

# 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

### Information on Basic Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State Liquid

AppearanceClear or RedOdorOdorlessColorClear or RedOdor ThresholdN/A

<u>Property</u> <u>Values</u> <u>Remarks • Method</u>

**pH** 7.5 – 8.5

Flash Point >200°F Pensky-Martens Closed Cup

**Evaporation Rate** Estimated slower than ethyl ether

Specific Gravity 1.00 Water Solubility Complete

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# **Chemical Stability**

Stable under normal use, storage and transport conditions.

### **Possibility of Hazardous Reactions**

None under normal processing and storage.

### **Conditions to Avoid**

Avoid heat, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. Avoid temperatures exceeding the flash point. Contact with incompatible materials.

**Incompatible Materials** 

Strong oxidizing agents, anionic surfactants.

### **Hazardous Decomposition Products**

Upon decomposition, this product may yield oxides of nitrogen and ammonia, carbon dioxide, carbon monoxide and other low molecular weight hydrocarbons.

# 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### Information on Likely Routes of Exposure

**Inhalation** Not likely, due to the form of the product.

**Eye Contact** Contact with eyes may cause serious eye damage.

**Skin Contact** Contact may cause severe skin irritation.

**Ingestion** Harmful if swallowed.

### **Component Information**

Chemical Name	Oral LD50	Dermal LD50	Inhalation LC50	
Quaternary Ammonium Chloride 68391-01-5, 68956-79-6	344 mg/kg (Rat)	>2000 mg/kg (Rabbit)	0.054 – 0.51 mg/l	

#### Information on Physical, Chemical and Toxicological Effects

**Symptoms** May cause severe skin burns and eye damage.

### Delayed and Immediate Effects as well as Chronic Effects from Short and Long-term Exposure

Carcinogenicity No components of this product have been identified as a carcinogen or potential

carcinogen by ACGIH, OSHA, IARC or NTP.

# 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

#### **Ecotoxicity**

No known significant or critical hazards.

### Persistence and Degradability

Biodegradable

# **Bioaccumulation**

No information available.

### **Other Adverse Effects**

No information available.

# 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**Disposal of Wastes** PESTICIDE DISPOSAL – Pesticides wastes are acutely hazardous. Improper disposal of

excess pesticide is a violation of Federal Law. If these wastes cannot be disposed of by use according to label instructions contact you State Pesticide or Environmental Control Agency, or the hazardous waste representative at the nearest EPA regional office for

guidance.

**Containers** 

Non-refillable container. Do not reuse or refill container. Clean container promptly after emptying. Triple rinse as follows: Fill container 1/4 full with water and recap. Agitate vigorously. Follow Pesticide Disposal instructions for rinsate disposal. Drain for 10 seconds After the flow begins to drip. Repeat procedure two more times. Offer for recycling or reconditioning, if available. If not available, puncture and dispose in a sanitary landfill.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**Note** Please see current shipping paper for most up to date shipping information, including

exemptions and special circumstances.

US – Ground Transportation: 4/Gal Case, 5 Gal Pail – Not regulated

**DOT** 

UN1760

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S. (Quaternary Ammonium Compound)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group |||

**IATA** 

UN1760

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S. (Quaternary Ammonium Compound)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group |||

**IMDG** 

UN1760

Proper Shipping Name Corrosive Liquid, N.O.S. (Quaternary Ammonium Compound)

Hazard Class 8
Packing Group III

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

### International Inventories Listed Yes or No

TSCA	United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory	Yes
DSL	Canadian Domestic Substances List	Yes
NDSL	Non-Domestic Substances List	No
EINECS	European Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	Yes
ELINCS	European List of Notified Chemical Substances	No
ENCS	Japan Existing and New Chemical Substances	Yes
IECSC	China Inventory of Existing Chemical Substances	Yes
KECL	Korean Existing and Evaluated Chemical Substances Yes	Yes
PICCS	Philippines Inventory of Chemicals and Chemical Substances	Yes
New Zealand	New Zealand Inventory	Yes

### US Federal Regulations

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### **US State Regulations**

No components over 1% are found on any state substance lists.

# **16. OTHER INFORMATION**

NFPAHealth HazardsFlammabilityInstability210HMISHealth HazardsFlammabilityPhysical HazardsPersonal Protection210B

### **Disclaimer**

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