

## Safety Data Sheet

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## SECTION 1: Identification of the substance/mixture and of the company/undertaking

#### 1.1. Product identifier

Product form : Mixture
Trade name : Firmway

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

#### 1.2.1. Relevant identified uses

Use of the substance/mixture : Wetting agent

1.2.2. Uses advised against

Restrictions on use : No additional information available

### 1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

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#### 1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : Chemtrec (800) 424-9300 Chemtrec International +1-703-527-388

#### **SECTION 2: Hazards identification**

## 2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

Not classified

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

No additional information available

#### 2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No. 1272/2008 [CLP]

No labelling applicable

#### 2.3. Other hazards

This substance/mixture does not meet the PBT criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

## **SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients**

## 3.1. Substances

Not applicable

### 3.2. Mixtures

This mixture does not contain any substances to be mentioned according to the criteria of section 3.2 of REACH Annex II

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#### **SECTION 4: First aid measures**

#### 4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general

First-aid measures after inhalation

First-aid measures after skin contact

First-aid measures after eye contact

First-aid measures after ingestion

: Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person.

: If inhaled and if breathing is difficult, remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position

comfortable for breathing. Get medical advice/attention if you feel unwell.

: Gently wash with plenty of soap and water. Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Take

off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.

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

: Rinse mouth out with water. Do not induce vomiting. Never give anything by mouth to an

unconscious person. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects after inhalation

Symptoms/effects after skin contact

Symptoms/effects after eye contact Symptoms/effects after ingestion : Not expected to present a significant hazard under anticipated conditions of normal use.

: Redness. Itching.

: Redness. Lacrimation. Itching. Blurred vision.

: Ingestion may cause nausea, vomiting and diarrhea.

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

Treat symptomatically. No specific antidote known.

## **SECTION 5: Firefighting measures**

#### 5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media

: Dry chemical, CO2, or water spray or regular foam. Use extinguishing agent suitable for

surrounding fire.

Unsuitable extinguishing media

: Do not use a heavy water stream.

#### 5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard

: Presents no particular fire or explosion hazard. Burning produces stinking and toxic fumes.

Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire

Toxic fumes may be released. Carbon dioxide. Carbon monoxide.

#### 5.3. Advice for firefighters

Firefighting instructions

: Evacuate the danger area. Fight fire from safe distance and protected location. Move containers from fire area if it can be done without personal risk. Use extinguishing media appropriate for surrounding fire. Use water spray or fog for cooling exposed containers.

Protection during firefighting

 Wear a self contained breathing apparatus. Wear fire/flame resistant/retardant clothing. Do not enter fire area without proper protective equipment, including respiratory protection.

#### **SECTION 6: Accidental release measures**

### 6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

General measures : Avoid all contact with skin, eyes, or clothing

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Protective equipment : Wear recommended personal protective equipment.

Emergency procedures : Ventilate spillage area. No action shall be taken without appropriate training or involving any

personal risk. Do not touch or walk on the spilled product. Evacuate unnecessary personnel.

Avoid contact with skin and eyes.

#### 6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment : Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment.

Emergency procedures : Do not touch spilled material. Ventilate area.

### 6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.

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#### 6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment

: Stop leak without risks if possible.

Methods for cleaning up

: If spilled, may cause the floor to be slippery. Soak up with inert absorbent material (for example sand, sawdust, a universal binder, silica gel). Clean contaminated surfaces with an example sand, sawdust, a universal binder, silica gel).

excess of water. Never return unused material to original container.

Other information : Dispose of via an authorised person/ licensed waste disposal contractor or by other suitable waste treatment techniques. Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

#### 6.4. Reference to other sections

For further information refer to section 13. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".

### **SECTION 7: Handling and storage**

#### 7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Precautions for safe handling

: Take all necessary technical measures to avoid or minimize the release of the product on the workplace. Ensure good ventilation of the work station. Do not get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wear personal protective equipment.

Hygiene measures

: Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Wash hands and other exposed areas with mild soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking and when leaving work. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

#### 7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage conditions

: Keep away from food, drink and animal feedingstuffs. Keep container tightly closed. Keep only in the original container in a cool, well ventilated place away from : Direct sunlight, Incompatible materials. Store in a dry place.

Incompatible products

: Strong oxidizing agents. Strong bases.

#### 7.3. Specific end use(s)

No additional information available

#### **SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection**

## 8.1. Control parameters

#### 8.1.1 National occupational exposure and biological limit values

No additional information available

## 8.1.2. Recommended monitoring procedures

Monitoring methods	
, and the second	Workplace atmospheres. Guide for the application and use of procedures for the assessment of exposure to chemical and biological agents. Workplace exposure - General requirements for the performance of procedures for the measurement of chemical agents.

#### 8.1.3. Air contaminants formed

No additional information available

#### 8.1.4. DNEL and PNEC

No additional information available

#### 8.1.5. Control banding

No additional information available

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## 8.2. Exposure controls

#### 8.2.1. Appropriate engineering controls

#### Appropriate engineering controls:

Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety procedures. Ensure exposure is below occupational exposure limits (where available). Avoid all unnecessary exposure. Ensure good ventilation of the work station.

#### 8.2.2. Personal protection equipment

#### Personal protective equipment:

Wear recommended personal protective equipment.

#### 8.2.2.1. Eye and face protection

#### Eye protection:

Chemical goggles or safety glasses. EN 166

#### 8.2.2.2. Skin protection

#### Skin and body protection:

Wear suitable protective clothing. Chemical resistant safety shoes

#### Hand protection:

Wear suitable gloves resistant to chemical penetration. EN 374. Please follow the instructions related to the permeability and the penetration time provided by the manufacturer

#### 8.2.2.3. Respiratory protection

#### Respiratory protection:

No respiratory protection needed under normal use conditions. Appropriate dust or mist respirator should be used if airborne particles are generated when handling this material

#### 8.2.2.4. Thermal hazards

Physical state

No additional information available

#### 8.2.3. Environmental exposure controls

#### **Environmental exposure controls:**

Technical onsite conditions and measures to reduce or limit discharges, air emissions and releases to soil. Avoid release to the environment.

: Liquid

## **SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties**

## 9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Colour : Colourless. Appearance : Clear to cloudy. Odour : slight. Odour threshold : Not available Melting point : Not applicable Freezing point : -4 °C Boiling point : Not available Flammability : Not applicable **Explosive limits** : Not available

Lower explosive limit (LEL) : Not available
Upper explosive limit (UEL) : Not available

Flash point : > 200 °C (Pensky-Martens Closed Cup)

Auto-ignition temperature : Not available
Decomposition temperature : > 300 °C

pH : 5 - 7.5 (5 % solution m/v)

Viscosity, kinematic : Not available

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Solubility : Dispersible (partial solubilisation) in: Water.

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow) : Not available Vapour pressure : < 0.1 mm Hg Vapour pressure at 50 °C : Not available : > 1.04 g/ml (23 °C) Density : Not available Relative density Relative vapour density at 20 °C : Not available : Not applicable Particle size Particle size distribution : Not applicable Particle shape : Not applicable Particle aspect ratio : Not applicable Particle aggregation state : Not applicable Particle agglomeration state : Not applicable Particle specific surface area : Not applicable

#### 9.2. Other information

Particle dustiness

#### 9.2.1. Information with regard to physical hazard classes

No additional information available

#### 9.2.2. Other safety characteristics

VOC content : > 40 %

### **SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity**

#### 10.1. Reactivity

The product is non-reactive under normal conditions of use, storage and transport. No dangerous reactions known.

: Not applicable

#### 10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

## 10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Hazardous polymerisation: Will not occur.

#### 10.4. Conditions to avoid

Heat. Extremely high or low temperatures.

## 10.5. Incompatible materials

Strong bases. Strong oxidizing agents.

#### 10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Under normal conditions of storage and use, hazardous decomposition products should not be produced.

## **SECTION 11: Toxicological information**

## 11.1. Information on hazard classes as defined in Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Firmway	
LD50 oral rat	5500 mg/kg

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met) pH: 5 – 7.5 (5 % solution m/v)

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Additional information	: Slightly irritating to rabbits on cutaneous application
Serious eye damage/irritation	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
	pH: 5 – 7.5 (5 % solution m/v)
Additional information	: Slightly irritating to rabbits on ocular application
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
STOT-single exposure	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

## 11.2. Information on other hazards

#### 11.2.1. Endocrine disrupting properties

#### 11.2.2 Other information

Other information

: No experimental study on the product is available. The information given is based on our knowledge of the components and the classification of the product is determined by calculation

## **SECTION 12: Ecological information**

#### 12.1. Toxicity

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)

: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term

(chronic)

: Not classified (Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met)

## 12.2. Persistence and degradability

Firmway	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradability in water: no data available.

#### 12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Firmway	
Bioaccumulative potential	No data available concerning bioaccumulation.

## 12.4. Mobility in soil

Firmway	
Ecology - soil	No additional information available.

#### 12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

#### **Firmway**

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This substance/mixture does not meet the vPvB criteria of REACH regulation, annex XIII

## 12.6. Endocrine disrupting properties

No additional information available

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## 12.7. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects : No additional information available

#### **SECTION 13: Disposal considerations**

#### 13.1. Waste treatment methods

Waste treatment methods : Dilute with water. Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's

sorting instructions.

Sewage disposal recommendations : Do not dispose of waste into sewer.

## **SECTION 14: Transport information**

In accordance with ADR / IMDG / IATA / ADN / RID

ADR	IMDG	IATA	ADN	RID
14.1. UN number or ID n	umber			
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.2. UN proper shippin	g name			
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.3. Transport hazard o	class(es)			
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.4. Packing group				
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
14.5. Environmental haz	ards			
Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
No supplementary information	n available	'		

#### 14.6. Special precautions for user

#### Overland transport

Not applicable

Transport by sea

Not applicable

Air transport

Not applicable

Inland waterway transport

Not applicable

Rail transport

Not applicable

## 14.7. Maritime transport in bulk according to IMO instruments

Not applicable

## **SECTION 15: Regulatory information**

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

## 15.1.1. EU-Regulations

Contains no REACH substances with Annex XVII restrictions Contains no substance on the REACH candidate list

Contains no REACH Annex XIV substances

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Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 649/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 4 July 2012 concerning the export and import of hazardous chemicals.

Contains no substance subject to Regulation (EU) No 2019/1021 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 June 2019 on persistent organic pollutants

VOC content : > 40 %

#### 15.1.2. National regulations

No additional information available

## 15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out

## **SECTION 16: Other information**

## Indication of changes:

1.1. Product identifier.

Abbreviations and acrony	/ms:
ADN	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Inland Waterways
ADR	European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road
ATE	Acute Toxicity Estimate
BLV	Biological limit value
CAS-No.	Chemical Abstract Service number
CLP	Classification Labelling Packaging Regulation; Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008
DMEL	Derived Minimal Effect level
DNEL	Derived-No Effect Level
EC50	Median effective concentration
EC-No.	European Community number
EN	European Standard
IATA	International Air Transport Association
IMDG	International Maritime Dangerous Goods
LC50	Median lethal concentration
LD50	Median lethal dose
LOAEL	Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOAEC	No-Observed Adverse Effect Concentration
NOAEL	No-Observed Adverse Effect Level
NOEC	No-Observed Effect Concentration
OEL	Occupational Exposure Limit
PBT	Persistent Bioaccumulative Toxic
PNEC	Predicted No-Effect Concentration
REACH	Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006
RID	Regulations concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Rail
SDS	Safety Data Sheet
vPvB	Very Persistent and Very Bioaccumulative

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WGK	Water Hazard Class

Data sources : ECHA (European Chemicals Agency). Supplier's safety documents.

Training advice : Training staff on good practice.

Other information : SDS prepared by. H2 Compliance.

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This information is based on our current knowledge and is intended to describe the product for the purposes of health, safety and environmental requirements only. It should not therefore be construed as guaranteeing any specific property of the product.