

Safety data sheet according to 1907/2006/EC, Article 31

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

· **1.1 Product identifier**

· **Product name:** Total Alkalinity

· **Catalog number:** 00515321, (4)515320(BT), (4)515321(BT), 515323(0), 505321, 00515329

· **1.2 Relevant identified uses of the substance or mixture and uses advised against**

· **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Reagent for water analysis

· **1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet**

· **Supplier:**

Tintometer GmbH
Schleefstr. 8-12
DE-44287 Dortmund
Made in Germany
www.lovibond.com

phone: +49 (0) 231 945100
E-Mail: sales@tintometer.de

· **Informing department:**

e-mail: produktsicherheit@tintometer.de
Product Safety Department

· **Contact for technical details:**

Technical Department
e-mail: technik@tintometer.de

· **1.4 Emergency telephone number:**

Poison Center Berlin, Germany
phone: 0049-30 30686 790
Languages: English and German

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

· **2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture**

· **Classification according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008**



GHS05 corrosion

Eye Dam. 1 H318 Causes serious eye damage.

· **2.2 Label elements**

· **Labelling according to Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008** The product is classified and labelled according to the CLP regulation.

· **Hazard pictograms**



GHS05

· **Signal word** Danger

· **Hazard-determining components of labelling:**

sodium bisulfate

· **Hazard statements**

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

· **Precautionary statements**

P280 Wear eye protection / face protection.

P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.

P310 Immediately call a doctor.

· **2.3 Other hazards** No further relevant information available.

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Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB), according to the criteria given in Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2 Mixtures

Description: Mixture of organic and inorganic compounds

Dangerous components:

CAS: 7681-38-1	sodium bisulfate	☠ Eye Dam. 1, H318	≤10%
EINECS: 231-665-7			
Index No: 016-046-00-X			

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

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1 Description of first aid measures

General information Instantly remove any clothing soiled by the product.

After inhalation Supply fresh air; consult doctor in case of symptoms.

After skin contact Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.

After eye contact

Rinse opened eye for several minutes (at least 15 min) under running water.

Call a doctor immediately.

After swallowing

Rinse out mouth and then drink 1-2 glasses of water.

In case of persistent symptoms consult doctor.

4.2 Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed:

burns

after inhalation:

coughing

breathing difficulty

after swallowing:

gastric or intestinal trouble

after swallowing of large amounts:

fatigue

ataxia (impaired locomotor coordination)

cramps

drop in temperature

Danger Danger of pulmonary oedema.

4.3 Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed: No further relevant information available.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1 Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing agents Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.

5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

The product is not combustible.

Formation of toxic gases is possible during heating or in case of fire.

Can be released in case of fire:

Sulphur oxides (SO_x)

carbon monoxide (CO) and carbon dioxide (CO₂)

Sodium oxide

5.3 Advice for firefighters
Protective equipment:

Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.

Wear full protective suit.

Additional information

Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

Dispose of fire debris and contaminated fire fighting water in accordance with official regulations.

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Ambient fire may liberate hazardous vapours.

SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

- **6.1 Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures**
- **Advice for non-emergency personnel:**
Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away.
Ensure adequate ventilation
- **Advice for emergency responders:** Protective equipment: see section 8
- **6.2 Environmental precautions:** Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.
- **6.3 Methods and material for containment and cleaning up:**
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Collect mechanically.
Dispose of contaminated material as waste according to item 13.
- **6.4 Reference to other sections**
See Section 8 for information on personal protection equipment.
See Section 13 for information on disposal.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

- **7.1 Precautions for safe handling**
- **Advice on safe handling:** Prevent formation of dust.
- **Hygiene measures:**
Avoid contact with the eyes.
Take off immediately all contaminated clothing.
Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.
Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.
- **7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities**
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers:** Store in cool location.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:** Store away from oxidising agents.
- **Storage class 13**
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Store in cool, dry conditions in well sealed containers.
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.
Protect from the effects of light.
Store under dry conditions.
Protect from humidity and keep away from water.
This product is hygroscopic.
- **Recommended storage temperature:** 20 °C +/- 5 °C
- **7.3 Specific end use(s)** No further relevant information available.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

- **8.1 Control parameters**

- **Components with limit values that require monitoring at the workplace:**

CAS: 9004-34-6 cellulose

WEL (Great Britain)	Short-term value: 20* mg/m ³ Long-term value: 10* 4** mg/m ³ *inhalable dust **respirable
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CAS: 14807-96-6 Talc (Mg₃H₂(SiO₃)₄)

WEL (Great Britain)	Long-term value: 1 mg/m ³
OEL (Sweden)	Long-term value: 2* 1** mg/m ³ *totaldamm **respirabelt damm

- **Regulatory information**

WEL (Great Britain): EH40/2011
OEL (Sweden): AFS2011:18

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- **Recommended monitoring procedures:**

Methods for measurement of the workplace atmosphere have to correspond to the requirements of norms DIN EN 482 and DIN EN 689.

- **Additional information:** The lists that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.

- **8.2 Exposure controls**

- **Engineering measures:**

Technical measures and appropriate working operations should be given priority over the use of personal protective equipment. See item 7.

- **Personal protective equipment**

- **Breathing equipment:** Use breathing protection against the effects of fumes/dust/aerosol.

- **Recommended filter device for short term use:** Filter P1

- **Protection of hands:**

Protective gloves.

Preventive skin protection by use of skin-protecting agents is recommended.

After use of gloves apply skin-cleaning agents and skin cosmetics.

- **Material of gloves**

nitrile rubber, NBR

Recommended thickness of the material: ≥ 0.11 mm

- **Penetration time of glove material**

Value for the permeation: Level = 1 (< 10 min)

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

- **Eye protection:** Tightly sealed safety glasses.

- **Body protection:** Protective work clothing.

- **Limitation and supervision of exposure into the environment:** Do not allow product to reach sewage system or water bodies.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

- **9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties**

- **Appearance:**

Form / Physical state: Tablets

Colour: Red

- **Odour:** Odourless

- **Odour threshold:** Not applicable

- **pH-value (1.66 g/l) at 20 °C:** 2.5

- **Melting point/Freezing point:** Not determined

- **Initial boiling point and boiling range:** Not determined

- **Flash point:** Not applicable

- **Flammability (solid, gas):** Not applicable.

- **Decomposition temperature:** Not determined.

- **Auto-ignition temperature:** Product is not self-igniting.

- **Explosive properties:** Product is not explosive.

- **Flammability or explosive limits:**

Lower: Not determined.

Upper: Not determined.

- **Oxidising properties:** none

- **Vapour pressure:** Not applicable.

- **Density:** Not determined

- **Relative density:** Not determined.

- **Vapour density:** Not applicable.

- **Evaporation rate:** Not applicable.

- **Solubility(ies):**

Water: Partially insoluble.

- **Partition coefficient (n-octanol/water):** Not applicable.

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· Viscosity:	Not applicable.
· Solvent content:	
Organic solvents:	0.0 %
Solids content:	100.0 %
· 9.2 Other information	No further relevant information available.

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

- **10.1 Reactivity** see section 10.3
- **10.2 Chemical stability** Stable at ambient temperature (room temperature).
- **10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions**
Aqueous solution reacts with metals.
Forms hydrogen in aqueous solution with metals
Liberates acid in contact with water or alcohol.
Reacts with strong alkalis and oxidizing agents.
- **10.4 Conditions to avoid** Strong heating (decomposition)
- **10.5 Incompatible materials:** metals
- **10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:** see section 5

SECTION 11: Toxicological information

- **11.1 Information on toxicological effects**
- **Acute toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

· LD/LC50 values that are relevant for classification:

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Oral	LD50	2490 mg/kg (rat) (IUCLID)
Dermal	LD50.	> 2000 mg/kg (rabbit)

- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **Skin corrosion/irritation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Serious eye damage/irritation**
Causes serious eye damage.
Risk of corneal clouding.

· Information on components:

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Irritation of skin	OECD 404	(rabbit: no irritation)
Irritation of eyes	OECD 405	(rabbit: severe irritations)

- **Respiratory or skin sensitisation** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity for reproduction)** The following statements refer to the mixture:
- **Germ cell mutagenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Carcinogenicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Reproductive toxicity** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -single exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **STOT (specific target organ toxicity) -repeated exposure** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.
- **Aspiration hazard** Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

- **12.1 Toxicity**
- **Aquatic toxicity:**

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EC50	190 mg/l/48h (Daphnia magna)	(IUCLID)
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- **Bacterial toxicity:**
sulphates toxic > 2.5 g/l

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EC10 > 1000 mg/l (Pseudomonas putida) (16 h)
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- **Other information:**
Toxic for fish:
sulphates > 7 g/l
Magnesium compounds: 100 - 400 mg/l
NH₄⁺ > 0.3 mg/l
- **12.2 Persistence and degradability** No further relevant information available.
- **12.3 Bioaccumulative potential** No further relevant information available.
- **12.4 Mobility in soil** No further relevant information available.
- **12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment**
This mixture does not contain any substances that are assessed to be persistent, bioaccumulative and toxic (PBT) or very persistent and very bioaccumulative (vPvB), according to the criteria given in Annex XIII of Regulation (EC) No. 1907/2006.
- **12.6 Other adverse effects** Avoid transfer into the environment.
- **Water hazard:**
Mixture (Self-assessment acc. VwVwS Annex 4, German regulation):
Water hazard class 2: hazardous for water.
Do not allow product to reach ground water, water bodies or sewage system.
Danger to drinking water if even small quantities leak into soil.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

- **13.1 Waste treatment methods**
- **Recommendation**
Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
Hand over to disposers of hazardous waste.

· European waste catalogue

16 05 06* laboratory chemicals, consisting of or containing hazardous substances, including mixtures of laboratory chemicals
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- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

SECTION 14: Transport information

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| · 14.1 UN-Number
· ADR,RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.2 UN proper shipping name
· ADR,RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.3 Transport hazard class(es)
· ADR,RID, ADN, IMDG, IATA
· Class | Void |
| · 14.4 Packing group
· ADR,RID, IMDG, IATA | Void |
| · 14.5 Environmental hazards: | Not applicable. |
| · 14.6 Special precautions for user | Not applicable. |
| · 14.7 Transport in bulk according to Annex II of Marpol and the IBC Code | Not applicable. |
| · Transport/Additional information: | Not dangerous according to the above specifications. |

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SECTION 15: Regulatory information

- **15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture**

- **Regulation (EC) No 689/2008 concerning the export and import of dangerous chemicals:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 on substances that deplete the ozone layer:**

None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Directive 2012/18/EU (SEVESO III):**

- **Named dangerous substances - ANNEX I** None of the ingredients is listed.

- **Information about limitation of use:** Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.

- **15.2 Chemical safety assessment:** A Chemical Safety Assessment has not been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

These data are based on our present knowledge. However, they shall not constitute a guarantee for any specific product features and shall not establish a legally valid contractual relationship.

- **Relevant phrases**

H318 Causes serious eye damage.

- **Training hints** Provide adequate information, instruction and training for operators.

- **Abbreviations and acronyms:**

OECD: Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development

STOT: specific target organ toxicity

SE: single exposure

RE: repeated exposure

EC50: half maximal effective concentration

IC50: half maximal inhibitory concentration

NOEL or NOEC: No Observed Effect Level or Concentration

ADR: Accord européen sur le transport des marchandises dangereuses par Route (European Agreement concerning the International Carriage of Dangerous Goods by Road)

RID: Règlement international concernant le transport des marchandises dangereuses par chemin de fer (Regulations Concerning the International Transport of Dangerous Goods by Rail)

IMDG: International Maritime Code for Dangerous Goods

IATA: International Air Transport Association

GHS: Globally Harmonised System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals

EINECS: European Inventory of Existing Commercial Chemical Substances

ELINCS: European List of Notified Chemical Substances

CAS: Chemical Abstracts Service (division of the American Chemical Society)

LC50: Lethal concentration, 50 percent

LD50: Lethal dose, 50 percent

PBT: Persistent, Bioaccumulative and Toxic

vPvB: very Persistent and very Bioaccumulative

DNEL: Derived No-Effect Level (REACH)

PNEC: Predicted No-Effect Concentration (REACH)

SVHC: Substances of Very High Concern

Eye Dam. 1: Serious eye damage/eye irritation – Category 1

- **Sources** Data arise from safety data sheets, reference works and literature.