

Safety Data Sheet
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1 Identification of substance:

- **Product details:**
- **Trade name:** Vector HTC-SCAI
- **Application of the substance / the preparation:** Ultrasonic cleaner
- **Manufacturer / Supplier:**
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- **Informing department:** Sales
- **Emergency information:** As above or next toxicological information centre

2 Hazards identification

- **Hazard designation:**



Xi Irritant

- **Information pertaining to particular dangers for man and environment**
R 43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.
- **Classification system**
The product has to be labelled due to the calculation procedure of the "General Classification guideline for preparations of the EU" in the latest valid version.

3 Composition/information on ingredients

- **Chemical characterization**
- **Description:** Mixture of the substances listed below with nonhazardous additions.

- **Dangerous components:**

78330-21-9	Ethoxylated branched C11-14, C13-rich alcohols	Xn, Xi; R 22-36-43	< 5%
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- **Additional information** For the wording of the listed risk phrases refer to section 16.

4 First aid measures

- **General information:** Immediately remove any clothing contaminated by the product.
- **After inhalation:**
Supply fresh air. If required, provide artificial respiration. Keep patient warm. Consult doctor if symptoms persist.
In case of unconsciousness bring patient into stable side position for transport.
- **After skin contact:**
Instantly wash with water and soap and rinse thoroughly.
If skin irritation continues, consult a doctor.
- **After eye contact:**
Rinse opened eye for several minutes under running water. If symptoms persist, consult doctor.
- **After swallowing:**
Rinse out mouth and then drink plenty of water.

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Seek medical treatment.

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5 Fire fighting measures

- **Suitable extinguishing agents** Use fire fighting measures that suit the environment.
- **For safety reasons unsuitable extinguishing agents** none
- **Special hazards caused by the material, its products of combustion or flue gases:**
Oxides of phosphorus (PxOy)
Carbon monoxide (CO) and Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
- **Protective equipment:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus.
- **Additional information**
Cool endangered containers with water spray jet.
Collect contaminated fire fighting water separately. It must not enter drains.

6 Accidental release measures

- **Person-related safety precautions:**
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Do not breathe vapours.
Avoid skin and eye contact.
- **Measures for environmental protection:** Do not allow to enter drainage system, surface or ground water.
- **Measures for cleaning/collecting:**
Ensure adequate ventilation.
Absorb with liquid-binding material (sand, diatomite, acid binders, universal binders, sawdust).
Dispose of the material collected according to regulations.

7 Handling and storage

- **Handling**
- **Information for safe handling:**
Ensure good ventilation/exhaustion at the workplace.
Prevent formation of aerosols.
Do not inhale aerosols.
Avoid breathing vapours.
Avoid skin and eye contact.
- **Information about protection against explosions and fires:** No special measures required.
- **Storage**
- **Requirements to be met by storerooms and containers:**
Observe all local and national regulations for storage of water polluting products.
- **Information about storage in one common storage facility:**
Store away from oxidizing agents.
Store away from reducing agents.
- **Further information about storage conditions:**
Keep container tightly sealed.
Protect from heat and direct sunlight.

8 Exposure controls and personal protection

- **Additional information about design of technical systems:** No further data; see item 7.
- **Components with critical 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 that were valid during the compilation were used as basis.

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- **Personal protective equipment**
- **General protective and hygienic measures**
 Keep away from foodstuffs, beverages and food.
 Instantly remove any contaminated garments.
 Do not inhale gases / fumes / aerosols.
 Avoid contact with the eyes and skin.
 Wash hands during breaks and at the end of the work.
- **Breathing equipment:** Not necessary if room is well-ventilated.
- **Protection of hands:**
 Protective gloves
 To avoid skin problems reduce the wearing of gloves to the required minimum.
 Check the permeability prior to each renewed use of the glove.
 The glove material has to be impermeable and resistant to the product/ the substance/ the preparation.
 Due to missing tests no recommendation to the glove material can be given for the product/ the preparation/ the chemical mixture.
 Selection of the glove material on consideration of the penetration times, rates of diffusion and the degradation.
- **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. As the product is a preparation of several substances, the resistance of the glove material can not be calculated in advance and has therefore to be checked prior to the application.
- **Penetration time of glove material**
 The exact break through time has to be found out by the manufacturer of the protective gloves and has to be observed.
- **Eye protection:** Safety glasses
- **Body protection:**
 Protective work clothing
 Protective clothing should be selected specifically for the working place.

9 Physical and chemical properties:

· General Information

Form:	liquid
Colour:	clear
Smell:	mild sweetish

· Change in condition

Melting point/Melting range: not determined
Boiling point/Boiling range: not determined

· **Flash point:** not applicable

· **Self-inflammability:** Product is not selfigniting.

· **Danger of explosion:** Product is not explosive.

· **Density at 20°C** 1.05 g/cm³

· **Solubility in / Miscibility with Water:** soluble

· **pH-value at 20°C:** 9.2

10 Stability and reactivity

· **Thermal decomposition / conditions to be avoided:** No decomposition if used according to specifications.

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- **Materials to be avoided:**
 - Strong oxidizing agents
 - Reducing agents
- **Dangerous reactions** No dangerous reactions known.
- **Dangerous products of decomposition:**
 - Phosphorus oxides (e.g. P_2O_5)
 - Carbon monoxide (CO) and Carbon dioxide (CO_2)

11 Toxicological information

- **Acute toxicity:**
- **Primary irritant effect:**
- **on the skin:** Slightly irritating
- **on the eye:** Short time, reversible irritating effect.
- **Sensitization:** Sensitization possible by skin contact.
- **Additional toxicological information:**
 - The product shows the following dangers according to the calculation method of the General EC Classification Guidelines for Preparations as issued in the latest version:
 - Sensitising
- **Sensitisation** May cause sensitisation by skin contact.

12 Ecological information:

- **General notes:** Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water

13 Disposal considerations

- **Product:**
- **Recommendation**
 - Must not be disposed of together with household garbage. Do not allow product to reach sewage system.
 - Disposal must be made according to official regulations.
- **European waste catalogue:**
 - Waste disposal key numbers from EWC have to be assigned depending on origin and processing.
- **Uncleaned packagings:**
- **Recommendation:** Disposal must be made according to official regulations.

14 Transport information

- **Land transport ADR/RID (cross-border):**
- **ADR/RID Class:** -

- **Maritime transport IMDG-Code:**
- **IMDG Class:** -

- **Air transport ICAO-TI and IATA-DGR:**
- **ICAO/IATA Class:** -

- **Transport/Additional information:** Not dangerous according to the above specifications.

15 Regulatory information

- **Designation according to EC guidelines:**
 - The product has been classified/labelled in accordance with EC Directives / relevant national laws.

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· **Code letter and hazard designation of product:***Xi Irritant*· **Hazard-determining components of labelling:***Ethoxylated branched C11-14, C13-rich alcohols*· **Risk phrases:***43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.*· **Safety phrases:***24 Avoid contact with skin.**37 Wear suitable gloves.*· **National regulations**· **Information about limitation of use:** *Employment restrictions concerning young persons must be observed.*· **Decree to be applied in case of technical fault:** -· **Water hazard class:** *Water hazard class 1 (Self-assessment): slightly hazardous for water***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.

· **Reasons for changes:**

*The Material Safety Data Sheet has been revised. Changes in the respective chapters are characterized in the left side edge by *.*

· **Relevant R-phrases:**

The(se) R-phrase(s) are those of the ingredient(s) and do(es) not necessarily represent the classification of the preparation.

*22 Harmful if swallowed.**36 Irritating to eyes.**43 May cause sensitisation by skin contact.*· **Department issuing MSDS:**

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· *** Data compared to the previous version altered.**

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