



SAFETY DATA SHEET

Knaus Washing Machine Descaler

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

1.1. Product identifier

Product name Knaus Washing Machine Descaler
Product number 01040/02
Container size 300mL
UFI UFI: HK2C-E0YQ-1008-PS19

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

Identified uses Cleaning agent.
Uses advised against Not to be used in any other way than instructed on product packaging.

1.3. Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Challs International Ltd
 UK ADDRESS:
 Unit 46 Lady Lane Industrial Estate
 Hadleigh
 Suffolk
 IP7 6BQ
 Contact Number: +44 1473 828700
 Contact Email: sales@challs.com

EU ADDRESS:
 1 Drummartin Road
 Dundrum
 Dublin 14
 D14 C3YO
 Contact Number: +353 12960842
 Contact Email: sales@challs.com

Manufacturer Primo Manufacturing Ltd
 Hadleigh
 Suffolk
 IP7 6BQ
 +44 01473 820999
 sales@primo.mfg.co.uk

1.4. Emergency telephone number

National emergency telephone number (01) 809 2166 - Poisons Information Centre of Ireland
 Office Hours: Daily 8am-10pm
 030 - 192 40 - Giftnotruf der Charité Universitätsmedizin Berlin
 13 1126 (24 hours) Australian National Poisons Centre

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

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Classification (EC 1272/2008)

Physical hazards	Not Classified
Health hazards	Skin Irrit. 2 - H315 Eye Irrit. 2 - H319
Environmental hazards	Not Classified

Classification (67/548/EEC or 1999/45/EC) Xi; R36/38

2.2. Label elements

Hazard pictograms



Signal word Warning

Hazard statements EUH208 Contains A mixture of: tetrasodium phosphonoethane-1,2-dicarboxylate and hexasodium phosphonobutane-1,2,3,4-tetracarboxylate. May produce an allergic reaction.
H315 Causes skin irritation.
H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

Precautionary statements P101 If medical advice is needed, have product container or label at hand.
P102 Keep out of reach of children.
P103 Read label before use.
P264 Wash contaminated skin thoroughly after handling.
P280 Wear protective gloves/ protective clothing/ eye protection/ face protection.
P302+P352 IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P305+P351+P338 IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P321 Specific treatment (see medical advice on this label).
P332+P313 If skin irritation occurs: Get medical advice/ attention.
P337+P313 If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/ attention.
P362+P364 Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
Always store upright in a cool, dry, well-ventilated place.
P501 Dispose of contents/ container in accordance with national regulations.

Detergent labelling < 5% anionic surfactants

2.3. Other hazards

This substance is not classified as PBT or vPvB according to current EU criteria.

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.2. Mixtures

sulphamidic acid	10-30%
CAS number: 5329-14-6	EC number: 226-218-8
Classification	
Skin Irrit. 2 - H315	
Eye Irrit. 2 - H319	
Aquatic Chronic 3 - H412	

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Citric Acid Monohydrate		5-10%
CAS number: 5949-29-1	EC number: 201-069-1	REACH registration number: 01-2119457026-42-XXXX
Classification		
Eye Irrit. 2 - H319		
A mixture of: tetrasodium phosphonoethane-1,2-dicarboxylate and hexasodium phosphonobutane-1,2,3,4-tetracarboxylate		
		<1%
CAS number: 143239-08-1	EC number: 410-800-5	
Classification		
Skin Sens. 1 - H317		
Aquatic Chronic 2 - H411		

The Full Text for all R-Phrases and Hazard Statements are Displayed in Section 16.

SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

Inhalation	Remove affected person from source of contamination. Keep affected person warm and at rest. Get medical attention if symptoms are severe or persist.
Ingestion	Rinse mouth thoroughly with water. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. Get medical attention immediately.
Skin contact	Remove affected person from source of contamination. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse. Wash skin thoroughly with soap and water. In the event of any sensitisation symptoms developing, ensure further exposure is avoided. Get medical attention immediately.
Eye contact	Remove affected person from source of contamination. Rinse immediately with plenty of water. Remove any contact lenses and open eyelids wide apart. Continue to rinse for at least 15 minutes and get medical attention.

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

General information	The severity of the symptoms described will vary dependent on the concentration and the length of exposure.
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4.3. Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Specific treatments	Treat symptomatically.
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SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	The product is not flammable. Use fire-extinguishing media suitable for the surrounding fire.
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5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Specific hazards	None known.
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5.3. Advice for firefighters

Special protective equipment for firefighters	Wear positive-pressure self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and appropriate protective clothing.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal precautions For personal protection, see Section 8.

6.2. Environmental precautions

Environmental precautions The product may affect the acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic organisms. Avoid discharge into drains or watercourses or onto the ground. Spillages or uncontrolled discharges into watercourses must be reported immediately to the Environmental Agency or other appropriate regulatory body.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for cleaning up Do not touch or walk into spilled material. Stop leak if safe to do so. Absorb in vermiculite, dry sand or earth and place into containers. Collect and place in suitable waste disposal containers and seal securely. When handling waste, the safety precautions applying to handling of the product should be considered. Containers with collected spillage must be properly labelled with correct contents and hazard symbol. Flush contaminated area with plenty of water. The requirements of the local water authority must be complied with if contaminated water is flushed directly to the sewer. Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

6.4. Reference to other sections

Reference to other sections For personal protection, see Section 8. See Section 11 for additional information on health hazards. For waste disposal, see Section 13.

SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

Usage precautions Read label before use. Good personal hygiene procedures should be implemented. Handle all packages and containers carefully to minimise spills. Avoid contact with skin, eyes and clothing. Avoid inhalation of vapours.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage precautions Store in tightly-closed, original container in a dry, cool and well-ventilated place.

Storage class Corrosive storage.

7.3. Specific end use(s)

Specific end use(s) The identified uses for this product are detailed in Section 1.2.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/Personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

8.2. Exposure controls

Protective equipment



Appropriate engineering controls

Provide adequate ventilation. Observe any occupational exposure limits for the product or ingredients. Avoid inhalation of vapours.

Eye/face protection

Wear eye protection.

Hand protection

Wear protective gloves.

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Other skin and body protection	Provide eyewash station and safety shower. Wear appropriate clothing to prevent any possibility of skin contact.
Hygiene measures	Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Wash hands thoroughly after handling. Wash promptly with soap and water if skin becomes contaminated. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
Respiratory protection	If ventilation is inadequate, suitable respiratory protection must be worn. Respirator selection must be based on exposure levels, the hazards of the product and the safe working limits of the selected respirator.
Environmental exposure controls	Keep container tightly sealed when not in use.

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Appearance	Clear liquid.
Colour	Amber.
Odour	Acidic.
pH	pH (concentrated solution): 0.5 - 2.0
Relative density	1.12 - 1.14 @ 20°C
Solubility(ies)	Soluble in water.

9.2. Other information

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Reactivity	Alkalis. Strong oxidising agents.
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10.2. Chemical stability

Stability	Stable at normal ambient temperatures and when used as recommended.
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10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

Possibility of hazardous reactions	Alkalis. Oxidising agents. In contact with some metals can generate hydrogen gas, which can form explosive mixtures with air.
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10.4. Conditions to avoid

Conditions to avoid	Avoid exposure to high temperatures or direct sunlight.
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10.5. Incompatible materials

Materials to avoid	Alkalis. Strong oxidising agents.
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10.6. Hazardous decomposition products

Hazardous decomposition products	None known.
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SECTION 11: Toxicological information

11.1. Information on toxicological effects

Inhalation	This product is corrosive. Prolonged inhalation of high concentrations may damage respiratory system.
Ingestion	This product is corrosive. May cause chemical burns in mouth, oesophagus and stomach.

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Skin contact	This product is corrosive. May cause serious chemical burns to the skin.
Eye contact	This product is strongly corrosive to the eyes. May cause serious eye damage.

SECTION 12: Ecological information

Ecotoxicity The product may affect the acidity (pH) of water which may have hazardous effects on aquatic organisms.

12.1. Toxicity

Toxicity The product components are not classified as environmentally hazardous. However, large or frequent spills may have hazardous effects on the environment.

12.2. Persistence and degradability

Biodegradation Expected to be readily biodegradable.

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

Bioaccumulative potential The product does not contain any substances expected to be bioaccumulating.

12.4. Mobility in soil

Mobility The product is soluble in water.

12.5. Results of PBT and vPvB assessment

Results of PBT and vPvB assessment This product does not contain any substances classified as PBT or vPvB.

12.6. Other adverse effects

Other adverse effects None known.

SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Waste treatment methods

General information Care should be taken when handling emptied containers that have not been thoroughly cleaned or rinsed out. Do not puncture or incinerate, even when empty. Waste should be treated as controlled waste.

Disposal methods Dispose of waste to licensed waste disposal site in accordance with the requirements of the local Waste Disposal Authority.

SECTION 14: Transport information

General The product is not covered by international regulations on the transport of dangerous goods (IMDG, IATA, ADR/RID).

14.1. UN number

Not applicable.

14.2. UN proper shipping name

Not applicable.

14.3. Transport hazard class(es)

No transport warning sign required.

14.4. Packing group

Not applicable.

14.5. Environmental hazards

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Environmentally hazardous substance/marine pollutant

No.

14.6. Special precautions for user

Not applicable.

14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL and the IBC Code

Transport in bulk according to Not applicable.

Annex II of MARPOL 73/78
and the IBC Code

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

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

National regulations

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended).
Dangerous Substances and Explosive Atmospheres Regulations 2002.
EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits.
Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (as amended).
The Carriage of Dangerous Goods and Use of Transportable Pressure Equipment Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No. 1348) (as amended) ["CDG 2009"].
The Chemicals (Hazard Information and Packaging for Supply) Regulations 2009 (SI 2009 No. 716).

EU legislation

Commission Decision 2000/532/EC as amended by Decision 2001/118/EC establishing a list of wastes and hazardous waste pursuant to Council Directive 75/442/EEC on waste and Directive 91/689/EEC on hazardous waste with amendments.
Commission Directive 2000/39/EC of 8 June 2000 establishing a first list of indicative occupational exposure limit values in implementation of Council Directive 98/24/EC on the protection of the health and safety of workers from the risks related to chemical agents at work (as amended).
Commission Regulation (EU) No 453/2010 of 20 May 2010.
Dangerous Preparations Directive 1999/45/EC.
Dangerous Substances Directive 67/548/EEC.
Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 December 2008 on classification, labelling and packaging of substances and mixtures (as amended).
Regulation (EC) No 648/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 on detergents (as amended).
Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2006 concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) (as amended).
Commission Regulation (EU) No 2015/830 of 28 May 2015.

Guidance

Workplace Exposure Limits EH40.

15.2. Chemical safety assessment

No chemical safety assessment has been carried out.

SECTION 16: Other information

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Hazard statements in full

H315 Causes skin irritation.

H317 May cause an allergic skin reaction.

H319 Causes serious eye irritation.

H411 Toxic to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

H412 Harmful to aquatic life with long lasting effects.

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