

SAFETY DATA SHEET

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1. IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/PREPARATION AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

Product identifier

Product Name Sortkwik

Other means of identification

Synonyms Fingertip Moistening Compound

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended Use On fingers to assist with sorting, and filing

Uses advised against No information available

Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet

Supplier Address

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US
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Emergency Phone: 800-535-5053

Emergency telephone number

Company Emergency Phone Number Infotrac 800-535-5053

2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Classification

This chemical is considered hazardous by the 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200)

Skin sensitization	Category 1
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GHS Label elements, including precautionary statements

Emergency Overview

Signal word	Warning
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Hazard Statements

May cause an allergic skin reaction

**Appearance** Pink Translucent**Physical State** Solid**Odor** None**Precautionary Statements - Prevention**

Avoid breathing dust/fume/gas/mist/vapors/spray

Precautionary Statements - Response

Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instructions on this label)

Skin

IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of soap and water

If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention

Wash contaminated clothing before reuse

Precautionary Statements - Storage

None

Precautionary Statements - Disposal

Dispose of contents/container to an approved waste disposal plant

Hazards not otherwise classified (HNOC)

Not applicable

Unknown Toxicity

1.092% of the mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity

Other information

Repeated or prolonged skin contact may cause allergic reactions with susceptible persons

Interactions with Other Chemicals

No information available

3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Chemical Name	CAS No.	Weight-%	Trade Secret
Propylene Glycol	57-55-6	30 - 60	*
Glycerin	56-81-5	10 - 30	*
Supplier Trade Secret	Proprietary	1 - 5	*
Stearic acid	57-11-4	1 - 5	*
Sodium carbonate	497-19-8	1 - 5	*
Myristic acid	544-63-8	0.1 - 1	*

*The exact percentage (concentration) of composition has been withheld as a trade secret

4. FIRST AID MEASURES

First aid measures

General Advice	Show this safety data sheet to the doctor in attendance.
Eye Contact	Rinse thoroughly with plenty of water, also under the eyelids. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Skin Contact	Wash skin with soap and water. In the case of skin irritation or allergic reactions see a physician. May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Inhalation	Remove to fresh air. If symptoms persist, call a physician.
Ingestion	Do NOT induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. If symptoms persist, call a physician.

Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed

Most Important Symptoms and Effects	Itching. Rashes. Hives.
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Indication of any immediate medical attention and special treatment needed

Notes to Physician	Treat symptomatically. May cause sensitization of susceptible persons.
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5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES**Suitable Extinguishing Media**

Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local circumstances and the surrounding environment.

Unsuitable Extinguishing Media

CAUTION: Use of water spray when fighting fire may be inefficient.

Specific Hazards Arising from the Chemical

Product is or contains a sensitizer. May cause sensitization by skin contact.

Uniform Fire Code	Sensitizer: Solid
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Hazardous Combustion Products

Carbon oxides.

Explosion Data

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact	No.
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Sensitivity to Static Discharge	No.
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Protective equipment and precautions for firefighters

As in any fire, wear self-contained breathing apparatus pressure-demand, MSHA/NIOSH (approved or equivalent) and full protective gear.

6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

Personal Precautions Avoid contact with eyes.

Environmental precautions

Environmental Precautions Refer to protective measures listed in Sections 7 and 8.

Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

Methods for Containment Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so.

Methods for cleaning up Pick up and transfer to properly labeled containers.

7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Precautions for safe handling

Handling Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice. Avoid contact with eyes.

Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

Storage Keep container tightly closed.

Incompatible Products None known based on information supplied.

8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Control parameters

Exposure Guidelines

Chemical Name	ACGIH TLV	OSHA PEL	NIOSH IDLH
Glycerin 56-81-5	TWA: 10 mg/m ³ mist	TWA: 15 mg/m ³ mist, total particulate TWA: 5 mg/m ³ mist, respirable fraction (vacated) TWA: 10 mg/m ³ mist, total particulate (vacated) TWA: 5 mg/m ³ mist, respirable fraction	

ACGIH TLV: American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists - Threshold Limit Value. OSHA PEL: Occupational Safety and Health Administration - Permissible Exposure Limits NIOSH IDLH Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health

Other Exposure Guidelines Vacated limits revoked by the Court of Appeals decision in AFL-CIO v. OSHA, 965 F.2d 962 (11th Cir., 1992) See section 15 for national exposure control parameters.

Appropriate engineering controls

Engineering Measures

Showers
Eyewash stations
Ventilation systems

Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

Eye/Face Protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced wear safety glasses with side shields (or goggles).

Skin and Body Protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced wear protective gloves and protective clothing.

Respiratory Protection No protective equipment is needed under normal use conditions. If exposure limits are exceeded or irritation is experienced, ventilation and evacuation may be required.

Hygiene Measures Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety practice.

9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State	Solid	Odor	No information available
Appearance	Pink Translucent	Odor Threshold	No information available
Color	Bright Pink		

<u>Property</u>	<u>Values</u>	<u>Remarks/ Method</u>
pH	No data available	None known
Melting/freezing point	No data available	None known
Boiling point / boiling range	No data available	None known
Flash Point	No data available	None known
Evaporation rate	No data available	None known
Flammability (solid, gas)	No data available	None known
Flammability Limits in Air		
Upper flammability limit	No data available	
Lower flammability limit	No data available	
Vapor pressure	No data available	None known
Vapor density	No data available	None known
Specific Gravity	No data available	None known
Water Solubility	Soluble in water	None known
Solubility in other solvents	No data available	None known
Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water	No data available	None known
Autoignition temperature	No data available	None known
Decomposition temperature	No data available	None known
Kinematic viscosity	No data available	None known
Dynamic viscosity	No data available	None known
Explosive Properties	No data available	
Oxidizing Properties	No data available	

Other Information

Softening Point	No data available
VOC Content (%)	No data available
Particle Size	No data available
Particle Size Distribution	

10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity

No data available.

Chemical stability

Stable under recommended storage conditions.

Possibility of Hazardous Reactions

None under normal processing.

Hazardous Polymerization

Hazardous polymerization does not occur.

Conditions to avoid

None known based on information supplied.

Incompatible materials

None known based on information supplied.

Hazardous Decomposition Products

Carbon oxides.

11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of exposure

Product Information

Product does not present an acute toxicity hazard based on known or supplied information.

Inhalation

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Eye Contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Skin Contact

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Ingestion

Specific test data for the substance or mixture is not available.

Component Information

Chemical Name	LD50 Oral	LD50 Dermal	LC50 Inhalation
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	= 20000 mg/kg (Rat)	= 20800 mg/kg (Rabbit)	-
Glycerin 56-81-5	-	> 10 g/kg (Rabbit)	-
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	= 4090 mg/kg (Rat)	-	= 2300 mg/m ³ (Rat) 2 h
Myristic acid 544-63-8	> 10 g/kg (Rat)	-	-

Information on toxicological effects

Symptoms

Itching. Rashes. Hives.

Delayed and immediate effects as well as chronic effects from short and long-term exposure

Sensitization	May cause sensitization of susceptible persons. May cause sensitization by skin contact.
Mutagenic Effects	No information available.
Carcinogenicity	Contains no ingredient listed as a carcinogen.
Reproductive Toxicity	No information available.
STOT - single exposure	No information available.
STOT - repeated exposure	No information available.
Chronic Toxicity	No known effect based on information supplied.
Target Organ Effects	Skin. Eyes. Kidney. Respiratory system.
Aspiration Hazard	No information available.

Numerical measures of toxicity - Product Information

The following values are calculated based on chapter 3.1 of the GHS document

ATEmix (oral)

38,645.00 mg/kg

ATEmix (dermal)

48,372.00 mg/kg (ATE)

ATEmix (inhalation-dust/mist)

64.25 mg/l

12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

The environmental impact of this product has not been fully investigated.

Persistence and Degradability

No information available.

Bioaccumulation

Chemical Name	Log Pow
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	-0.32
Glycerin 56-81-5	-1.76
Myristic acid 544-63-8	5.9

Other adverse effects

No information available.

13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Waste treatment methods

Disposal methods

This material, as supplied, is not a hazardous waste according to Federal regulations (40 CFR 261). This material could become a hazardous waste if it is mixed with or otherwise comes in contact with a hazardous waste, if chemical additions are made to this material, or if the material is processed or otherwise altered. Consult 40 CFR 261 to determine whether the altered material is a hazardous waste. Consult the appropriate state, regional, or local regulations for additional requirements.

Contaminated Packaging

Dispose of contents/containers in accordance with local regulations.

California Hazardous Waste Codes 331

This product contains one or more substances that are listed with the State of California as a hazardous waste.

Chemical Name	California Hazardous Waste
Sodium carbonate 497-19-8	Corrosive

14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

DOT
Proper Shipping Name NOT REGULATED
Hazard Class NON REGULATED
 N/A

TDG Not regulated

MEX Not regulated

ICAO Not regulated

IATA
Proper Shipping Name Not regulated
Hazard Class NON REGULATED
 N/A

IMDG/IMO
Hazard Class Not regulated
 N/A

RID Not regulated

ADR Not regulated

ADN Not regulated

15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

International Inventories

TSCA Complies
DSL All components are listed either on the DSL or NDSL.

TSCA - United States Toxic Substances Control Act Section 8(b) Inventory
DSL/NDSL - Canadian Domestic Substances List/Non-Domestic Substances List

U.S. Federal Regulations

SARA 313

Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA). This product does not contain any chemicals which are subject to the reporting requirements of the Act and Title 40 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 372

SARA 311/312 Hazard Categories

Acute Health Hazard	Yes
Chronic Health Hazard	No
Fire Hazard	No
Sudden Release of Pressure Hazard	No
Reactive Hazard	No

CWA (Clean Water Act)

This product does not contain any substances regulated as pollutants pursuant to the Clean Water Act (40 CFR 122.21 and 40 CFR 122.42)

CERCLA

This material, as supplied, does not contain any substances regulated as hazardous substances under the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (CERCLA) (40 CFR 302) or the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) (40 CFR 355). There may be specific reporting requirements at the local, regional, or state level pertaining to releases of this material

US State Regulations**California Proposition 65**

This product does not contain any Proposition 65 chemicals

U.S. State Right-to-Know Regulations

Chemical Name	New Jersey	Massachusetts	Pennsylvania	Rhode Island	Illinois
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6	X		X		
Glycerin 56-81-5	X	X	X	X	

International Regulations**Mexico****National occupational exposure limits**

Component	Carcinogen Status	Exposure Limits
Propylene Glycol 57-55-6 (30 - 60)	-	-
Glycerin 56-81-5 (10 - 30)	-	10mg/m ³ (mist) TWA

Mexico - Occupational Exposure Limits - Carcinogens

Canada**WHMIS Hazard Class**

Non-controlled

16. OTHER INFORMATION

NFPA	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Instability 0	Physical and Chemical Hazards -
HMIS	Health Hazard 2	Flammability 0	Physical Hazard 0	Personal Protection X

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