



Safeguard Antiseptic Disinfectant

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according to SANS 10234:2019 and SANS 11014:2010
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SECTION 1: Identification

1.1. Product identifier

Product form	: Mixture
Trade name	: Safeguard Antiseptic Disinfectant
Type of product	: Biocidal products (e.g. Disinfectants, pest control)
Product code	: 215011, 215010, 215014
Product group	: Trade product

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

Use of the substance/mixture :

1.3. Supplier's details

Manufacturer

Shield Chemicals (Pty) Ltd
9 London Rd Apex
P.O. Box 1939
1501 Benoni – Gauteng
South Africa
T (011) 421 7111
Contact: Jayson Clark

1.4. Emergency telephone number

Emergency number : (011) 421 7111

SECTION 2: Hazards identification

2.1. Classification of the substance or mixture

Classification according to the United Nations GHS

Flammable liquids, Category 3	H226
Serious eye damage/eye irritation, Category 2A	H319
Skin sensitisation, Category 1	H317
Specific target organ toxicity — Single exposure, Category 3, Narcosis	H336
Hazardous to the aquatic environment — Acute Hazard, Category 3	H402
Full text of H-statements: see section 16	

2.2. Label elements

Labelling according to the United Nations GHS

Hazard pictograms (GHS ZA) :



Signal word (GHS-ZA)	: Warning
Hazardous ingredients	: 4-chloro-3-methylphenol, 2-propanol, ethanol
Hazard statements (GHS ZA)	: H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour.
	H317 - May cause an allergic skin reaction.
	H319 - Causes serious eye irritation.
	H336 - May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
	H402 - Harmful to aquatic life
Precautionary statements (GHS ZA)	: P210 - Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking.
	P233 - Keep container tightly closed.
	P240 - Ground and bond container and receiving equipment.
	P241 - Use explosion-proof equipment.

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P242 - Use non-sparking tools.
P243 - Take action to prevent static discharges.
P261 - Avoid breathing vapours.
P264 - Wash hands thoroughly after handling.
P271 - Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area.
P272 - Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace.
P273 - Avoid release to the environment.
P280 - Wear protective gloves, eye protection.
P302+P352 - IF ON SKIN: Wash with plenty of water.
P303+P361+P353 - IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water/shower.
P304+P340 - IF INHALED: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
P305+P351+P338 - IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing.
P312 - Call a POISON CENTER if you feel unwell.
P321 - Specific treatment (see supplemental first aid instruction on this label).
P333+P313 - If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical attention.
P337+P313 - If eye irritation persists: Get medical attention.
P362+P364 - Take off contaminated clothing and wash it before reuse.
P370+P378 - In case of fire: Use dry extinguishing powder to extinguish.
P403+P233 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed.
P403+P235 - Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool.
P405 - Store locked up.
P501 - Dispose of contents and container to hazardous or special waste collection point, in accordance with local, regional, national and/or international regulation.

2.3. Other hazards

Adverse physicochemical, human health and environmental effects

: Flammable liquid and vapour, May cause drowsiness or dizziness, May cause an allergic skin reaction, Causes serious eye irritation, Harmful to aquatic life

SECTION 3: Composition/information on ingredients

3.1. Substances

Not applicable

3.2. Mixtures

Name	Product identifier	%	Classification according to the United Nations GHS
2-propanol	CAS-No.: 67-63-0	20 - 30	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Acute Tox. Not classified (Oral) Acute Tox. Not classified (Dermal) STOT SE 3, H336 Asp. Tox. 2, H305 Aquatic Acute Not classified
ethanol	CAS-No.: 64-17-5	1 - 5	Flam. Liq. 2, H225 Acute Tox. Not classified (Oral) Acute Tox. Not classified (Dermal) Asp. Tox. 2, H305 Aquatic Acute Not classified
4-chloro-3-methylphenol	-	1 - 5	Acute Tox. 4 (Oral), H302 Acute Tox. 5 (Dermal), H313 Acute Tox. Not classified (Inhalation: dust, mist) Eye Dam. 1, H318 Skin Sens. 1, H317 Aquatic Acute 1, H400

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SECTION 4: First aid measures

4.1. Description of first aid measures

First-aid measures general	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.
First-aid measures after inhalation	: Remove person to fresh air and keep comfortable for breathing.
First-aid measures after skin contact	: Rinse skin with water/shower. Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. If skin irritation or rash occurs: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after eye contact	: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses, if present and easy to do. Continue rinsing. If eye irritation persists: Get medical advice/attention.
First-aid measures after ingestion	: Call a poison center or a doctor if you feel unwell.

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

Symptoms/effects	: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
Symptoms/effects after skin contact	: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Symptoms/effects after eye contact	: Eye irritation.

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

Treat symptomatically.

SECTION 5: Firefighting measures

5.1. Extinguishing media

Suitable extinguishing media	: Water spray. Dry powder. Foam. Carbon dioxide.
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5.2. Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture

Fire hazard	: Flammable liquid and vapour.
Hazardous decomposition products in case of fire	: Toxic fumes may be released.

5.3. Advice for firefighters

Protection during firefighting	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. Self-contained breathing apparatus. Complete protective clothing.
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SECTION 6: Accidental release measures

6.1. Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures

No additional information available

6.1.1. For non-emergency personnel

Emergency procedures	: Ventilate spillage area. No open flames, no sparks, and no smoking. Avoid breathing vapours. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
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6.1.2. For emergency responders

Protective equipment	: Do not attempt to take action without suitable protective equipment. For further information refer to section 8: "Exposure controls/personal protection".
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6.2. Environmental precautions

Avoid release to the environment.

6.3. Methods and material for containment and cleaning up

For containment	: Collect spillage.
Methods for cleaning up	: Take up liquid spill into absorbent material. Notify authorities if product enters sewers or public waters.
Other information	: Dispose of materials or solid residues at an authorized site.

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SECTION 7: Handling and storage

7.1. Precautions for safe handling

- Precautions for safe handling : Keep away from heat, hot surfaces, sparks, open flames and other ignition sources. No smoking. Ground/bond container and receiving equipment. Use only non-sparking tools. Take precautionary measures against static discharge. Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container. Use explosion-proof equipment. Wear personal protective equipment. Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area. Avoid breathing vapours. Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- Hygiene measures : Contaminated work clothing should not be allowed out of the workplace. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse. Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product. Always wash hands after handling the product.

7.2. Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities

- Technical measures : Ground/bond container and receiving equipment.
- Storage conditions : Store in a well-ventilated place. Keep cool. Keep container tightly closed. Store locked up.

SECTION 8: Exposure controls/personal protection

8.1. Control parameters

ethanol (64-17-5)

South Africa - Occupational Exposure Limits (Recommended Limits)

Local name	Ethanol (Ethyl alcohol)
OEL TWA	1900 mg/m ³
OEL TWA [ppm]	1000 ppm
Regulatory reference	Government Notice. R: 1179

South Africa - Occupational Exposure Limits (Airborne Pollutants)

Local name	Ethanol (Ethyl alcohol)
OEL TWA	1900 mg/m ³
OEL TWA [ppm]	1000 ppm
Regulatory reference	Government Notice No. R 904

2-propanol (67-63-0)

South Africa - Occupational Exposure Limits (Recommended Limits)

Local name	Propan-2-ol (Isopropyl alcohol)
OEL TWA	960 mg/m ³ Isopropyl alcohol 980 mg/m ³ Propan-2-ol
OEL TWA [ppm]	400 ppm
OEL STEL	1225 mg/m ³
OEL STEL [ppm]	500 ppm
Remark	Sk
Regulatory reference	Government Notice. R: 1179

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2-propanol (67-63-0)	
OEL STEL [ppm]	500 ppm
Regulatory reference	Government Notice No. R 904

8.2. Appropriate engineering controls

Appropriate engineering controls	: Ensure good ventilation of the work station.
Environmental exposure controls	: Avoid release to the environment.

8.3. Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment (PPE)

Hand protection	: Protective gloves
Eye protection	: Safety glasses
Skin and body protection	: Wear suitable protective clothing
Respiratory protection	: In case of insufficient ventilation, wear suitable respiratory equipment

Personal protective equipment symbol(s):



8.4. Exposure limit values for the other components

No additional information available

SECTION 9: Physical and chemical properties

9.1. Information on basic physical and chemical properties

Physical state	: Liquid
Appearance	: Liquid.
Colour	: amber.
Odour	: Pine oil.
Odour threshold	: No data available
pH	: 6 – 7
pH solution	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (butylacetate=1)	: No data available
Relative evaporation rate (ether=1)	: No data available
Melting point	: Not applicable
Freezing point	: No data available
Boiling point	: No data available
Flash point	: 34.3 °C
Auto-ignition temperature	: No data available
Decomposition temperature	: No data available
Flammability (solid, gas)	: Not applicable
Vapour pressure	: No data available
Vapour pressure at 50 °C	: No data available
Relative vapour density at 20 °C	: No data available
Relative density	: No data available
Relative density of saturated gas/air mixture	: No data available
Density	: No data available
Relative gas density	: No data available
Solubility	: Soluble in water.
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	: No data available
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Kow)	: No data available
Viscosity, kinematic	: No data available
Viscosity, dynamic	: No data available
Explosive properties	: No data available
Oxidising properties	: No data available
Explosive limits	: No data available
Lower explosive limit (LEL)	: No data available

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Upper explosive limit (UEL) : No data available

9.2. Other information

No additional information available

SECTION 10: Stability and reactivity

10.1. Reactivity

Flammable liquid and vapour.

10.2. Chemical stability

Stable under normal conditions.

10.3. Possibility of hazardous reactions

No dangerous reactions known under normal conditions of use.

10.4. Conditions to avoid

Avoid contact with hot surfaces. Heat. No flames, no sparks. Eliminate all sources of ignition.

10.5. Incompatible materials

No additional information available

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 toxicological effects

Acute toxicity (oral) : Not classified

Acute toxicity (dermal) : Not classified

Acute toxicity (inhalation) : Not classified

4-chloro-3-methylphenol	
LD50 oral rat	1830 mg/kg
LD50 dermal rat	2000 – 5000 mg/kg bodyweight
LC50 Inhalation - Rat (Dust/Mist)	> 2871 mg/l/4h

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LD50 oral rat	10740 mg/kg bodyweight (OECD 401: Acute Oral Toxicity, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Oral)
LD50 dermal rabbit	> 16000 mg/kg (Rabbit, Literature study, Dermal)
LC50 Inhalation - Rat	117 – 125 mg/l air (Equivalent or similar to OECD 403, 4 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation)

2-propanol (67-63-0)	
LD50 oral rat	5840 mg/kg bodyweight (Equivalent or similar to OECD 401, Rat, Experimental value, Oral, 14 day(s))
LD50 dermal rabbit	16400 mg/kg bodyweight (Equivalent or similar to OECD 402, 24 h, Rabbit, Experimental value, Dermal, 14 day(s))
LC50 Inhalation - Rat [ppm]	> 10000 ppm (Equivalent or similar to OECD 403, 6 h, Rat, Male / female, Experimental value, Inhalation (vapours), 14 day(s))

Skin corrosion/irritation : Not classified
pH: 6 – 7

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Serious eye damage/irritation	: Causes serious eye irritation. pH: 6 – 7
Respiratory or skin sensitisation	: May cause an allergic skin reaction.
Germ cell mutagenicity	: Not classified
Carcinogenicity	: Not classified
Reproductive toxicity	: Not classified
STOT-single exposure	: May cause drowsiness or dizziness.

2-propanol (67-63-0)

STOT-single exposure	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
STOT-repeated exposure	: Not classified
Aspiration hazard	: Not classified

SECTION 12: Ecological information

12.1. Toxicity

Ecology - general	: Harmful to aquatic life.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, short-term (acute)	: Harmful to aquatic life.
Hazardous to the aquatic environment, long-term (chronic)	: Not classified

4-chloro-3-methylphenol

LC50 - Fish [1]	0.92 mg/l
Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)	13

ethanol (64-17-5)

LC50 - Fish [1]	14200 mg/l (US EPA, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value)
EC50 72h - Algae [1]	275 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 201, Chlorella vulgaris, Static system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Growth rate)
BCF - Fish [1]	1 (Other, 72 h, Cyprinus carpio, Static system, Fresh water, Read-across)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.31 (Experimental value)

2-propanol (67-63-0)

LC50 - Fish [1]	9640 – 10000 mg/l (Equivalent or similar to OECD 203, 96 h, Pimephales promelas, Flow-through system, Fresh water, Experimental value, Lethal)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.05 (Weight of evidence approach, 25 °C)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	0.185 – 0.541 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)

12.2. Persistence and degradability

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Persistence and degradability	No additional information available
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ethanol (64-17-5)

Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	0.8 – 0.967 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	1.7 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	2.1 g O ₂ /g substance
BOD (% of ThOD)	0.43

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2-propanol (67-63-0)	
Persistence and degradability	Biodegradable in the soil. Biodegradable in the soil under anaerobic conditions. Readily biodegradable in water.
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	1.19 g O ₂ /g substance
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	2.23 g O ₂ /g substance
ThOD	2.4 g O ₂ /g substance

12.3. Bioaccumulative potential

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Bioaccumulative potential	No additional information available
4-chloro-3-methylphenol	
Bioconcentration factor (BCF REACH)	13
ethanol (64-17-5)	
BCF - Fish [1]	1 (Other, 72 h, Cyprinus carpio, Static system, Fresh water, Read-across)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.31 (Experimental value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Not bioaccumulative.
2-propanol (67-63-0)	
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.05 (Weight of evidence approach, 25 °C)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	0.185 – 0.541 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)
Bioaccumulative potential	Low potential for bioaccumulation (Log Kow < 4).

12.4. Mobility in soil

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Mobility in soil	No additional information available
ethanol (64-17-5)	
Surface tension	0.022 N/m (20 °C)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	-0.31 (Experimental value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.
2-propanol (67-63-0)	
Surface tension	0.021 N/m (25 °C)
Partition coefficient n-octanol/water (Log Pow)	0.05 (Weight of evidence approach, 25 °C)
Organic Carbon Normalized Adsorption Coefficient (Log Koc)	0.185 – 0.541 (log Koc, SRC PCKOCWIN v2.0, Calculated value)
Ecology - soil	Highly mobile in soil.

12.5. Other adverse effects

Ozone	: Not classified
Other adverse effects	: No additional information available

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SECTION 13: Disposal considerations

13.1. Disposal methods

Waste treatment methods : Dispose of contents/container in accordance with licensed collector's sorting instructions.
Additional information : Flammable vapours may accumulate in the container.

SECTION 14: Transport information

In accordance with SANS / IMDG / IATA

SANS	IMDG	IATA
14.1. UN number		
1993	1993	Not applicable
14.2. Proper Shipping Name		
FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.	FLAMMABLE LIQUID, N.O.S.	Not applicable
14.3. Transport hazard class(es)		
3	3	Not applicable
		Not applicable
14.4. Packing group		
III	III	Not applicable
14.5. Environmental hazards		
Dangerous for the environment : No	Dangerous for the environment : No Marine pollutant : No	Dangerous for the environment : No
No supplementary information available		

14.6. Special precautions for user

SANS

Special provisions (SANS) : 223, 274
Limited quantities (SANS) : 5 L
Limited quantities (SANS) : 5 L
Packagings, large packagings and IBCs Packing instructions (SANS) : P001, IBC03, LP01
Portable tank and bulk containers instructions (SANS) : T4
Portable tank and bulk container special provisions (SANS) : TP1, TP29

IMDG

Special provisions (IMDG) : 223, 274, 955
Limited quantities (IMDG) : 5 L
Excepted quantities (IMDG) : E1
Packing instructions (IMDG) : LP01, P001
IBC packing instructions (IMDG) : IBC03
Tank instructions (IMDG) : T4
Tank special provisions (IMDG) : TP1, TP29
EmS-No. (Fire) : F-E - FIRE SCHEDULE Echo - NON-WATER-REACTIVE FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS
EmS-No. (Spillage) : S-E - SPILLAGE SCHEDULE Echo - FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, FLOATING ON WATER
Stowage category (IMDG) : A

IATA

No data available

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14.7. Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable

SECTION 15: Regulatory information

15.1. Safety, health, and environmental national regulations specific for the product

No additional information available

SECTION 16: Other information

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Full text of H-statements

H225	Highly flammable liquid and vapour.
H226	Flammable liquid and vapour.
H227	Combustible liquid
H302	Harmful if swallowed.
H303	May be harmful if swallowed
H305	May be harmful if swallowed and enters airways
H313	May be harmful in contact with skin
H317	May cause an allergic skin reaction.
H318	Causes serious eye damage.
H319	Causes serious eye irritation.
H336	May cause drowsiness or dizziness.
H400	Very toxic to aquatic life.
H401	Toxic to aquatic life
H402	Harmful to aquatic life

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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.