

## 1 – PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

**PRODUCT NAME:**.....AQUA-CLEAR 15

**PRODUCT USE:**.....Acid Activator

**COMPANY:**.....CH<sub>2</sub>O, Incorporated

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**REVISION NUMBER:** NA

## 2 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

**GHS HEALTH CLASSIFICATIONS:** .....Acute Toxicity Inhalation (3) Skin Corrosion (1B)  
Serious Eye Damage (1) Target Organ Toxicity- Single Exposure (2) Target Organ Toxicity - Repeated  
Exposure (2)

**GHS ENVIRONMENTAL CLASSIFICATIONS:** ..... None

**GHS PHYSICAL CLASSIFICATIONS:** ..... Substances Corrosive to Metal (1)



**GHS SIGNAL WORD: DANGER**

**GHS HAZARD STATEMENTS:**

H290: May be corrosive to metals

H314: Causes severe skin burns and eye damage

H318: Causes serious eye damage

H331: Toxic if inhaled

H371: May cause damage to blood, respiratory and renal systems.

H373: May cause damage to organs (Blood, Respiratory System, Renal System) through prolonged or repeated exposure.

**GHS PRECAUTIONARY STATEMENTS:**

P234: Keep only in original packaging.

P260: Do not breathe dust/mist/vapours/spray.

P264: Wash skin thoroughly after handling.

P270: Do not eat, drink or smoke when using this product.

P271: Use only outdoors or in a well-ventilated area

P280: Wear protective gloves/protective clothing/eye protection/face protection

P304+340+312: IF INHALED: Remove victim to fresh air and keep at rest in a position comfortable for breathing. Call a POISON CENTER/doctor if you feel unwell.

P301+330+331: IF SWALLOWED: Rinse mouth. Do NOT induce vomiting

P303+361+353+363: IF ON SKIN (or hair): Take off immediately all contaminated clothing. Rinse skin with water. Wash contaminated clothing before reuse.

P310: Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician

P305+351+338+310: IF IN EYES: Rinse cautiously with water for several minutes. Remove contact lenses if present and easy to do – continue rinsing. Immediately call a POISON CENTER/doctor/physician.

P309+311: IF exposed, concerned, or if you feel unwell: Call a POISON CENTER or doctor.

P390: Absorb spillage to prevent damage.  
P405: Store locked up  
P406: Store in a corrosion resistant container, such as HDPE, or use with a resistant inner liner.  
P501: Dispose of contents/container in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations

**HAZARDS NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED:** None known

**UNKNOWN TOXICITY STATEMENT:** 0% of this mixture consists of ingredient(s) of unknown acute toxicity.

### 3 – COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

**TRADE SECRET STATEMENT:** The specific chemical identity and/or the exact percentage of composition has been withheld as a trade secret.

HAZARDOUS INGREDIENT	PERCENT	CAS NUMBER	PEL	TLV-TWA

### 4 – FIRST-AID MEASURES

**EYES:** Flush with large amounts of water, lifting upper and lower lids occasionally. Get medical attention if irritation persists. **SKIN:** Wash exposed areas thoroughly with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before reuse. If skin feels slippery, continue washing until slick feeling is gone. Contact a physician if irritation persists. **INGESTION:** Give large quantities of water. DO NOT induce vomiting. If vomiting occurs administer additional fluids. Contact a physician for further directions. Never give anything by mouth to an unconscious person. **INHALATION:** Remove individual to fresh air. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Contact a physician if irritation persists.

### 5 – FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

When responding to a fire involving this product, personal protection equipment must be worn that is appropriate to the chemicals involved in the fire, as well as respiratory protection. If it can be done safely and without risk, stop any release of chemical at the source. Move undamaged containers away from the vicinity of the fire if it can be done safely. Water spray may be used in cooling equipment and containers that have been exposed to heat and/or flame. Avoid spreading burning material with water used for cooling purposes.

**FLASHPOINT:** Above 200 Degr. F

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Foam, dry chemical, water spray

**SPECIAL FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURES:** None

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** This material contains an oxidizing agent. If allowed to dry, product residues can ignite, or they can supply oxygen to stimulate or accelerate combustion of organic or other combustible materials. These fires are difficult to extinguish.

### 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**SPILL PROCEDURES:** Only trained personnel equipped with proper protective gear should be permitted in the area. Stop spill at source. Reclaim material if possible for reuse. Containerize contaminated material for disposal. After all visible traces have been removed flush area thoroughly with water.

**WASTE:** Dispose of all waste in accordance with local, state and federal regulations. Care must be taken when using or disposing of chemical materials and/or their containers to prevent environmental contamination.

## 7 – HANDLING and STORAGE

**HANDLING & STORAGE:** This is a moderately alkaline product. Eye contact will cause severe irritation and/or minor burns. Prolonged or repeated skin contact can cause irritation and possible dermatitis. Ingestion can cause damage to the stomach and other tissues contacted. Excessive inhalation of product dust/mists can cause irritation to the respiratory system. Wear impervious gloves and safety glasses or goggles when handling product. If vapors are present at or above TLV respiratory protection must be worn. Wear additional protective clothing as necessary to minimize contact with product. This product is a COMBUSTIBLE LIQUID. Store away from heat, sparks, and flames. Keep out of the reach of children.

## 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** Atmospheric levels should be maintained below the exposure guidelines. When respiratory protection is required, use an approved air-purifying respirator. When exposure guidelines may be greatly exceeded, use an approved positive pressure self-contained breathing apparatus. A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

**PROTECTIVE CLOTHING:** Chemical safety glasses, impervious gloves and an apron.

## 9 – PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**PHYSICAL STATE:** ..... Liquid

**APPEARANCE; Color & Odor:** .. Colorless to light green; Mild odor

**SPECIFIC GRAVITY:**..... 1.13

**pH, 1%:** .. ..... Variable

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:**..... Soluble in water

**VOLATILITY (wt. %, incl. H<sub>2</sub>O):** . 80-90

## 10 – STABILITY and REACTIVITY

**STABILITY:** Stable

**HAZARDOUS DECOMP.:** On contact with acids: chlorine dioxide gas. Thermal decomposition or combustion: chlorine, oxides of sodium.

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Acids, reducing agents, combustible materials, oxidizing materials, hypochlorite, organic solvents and compounds, garbage, dirt, organic matter, household products, chemicals, soap products, paint products, vinegar, beverages, oils, pine oil, dirty rags, sulfur-containing rubber or any other foreign matter.

**HAZARDOUS REACTIONS:** None known

## 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES:** The toxicological properties of this chemical mixture as a whole have not been thoroughly investigated.

**LISTED CARCINOGEN:** No information available.

**MEDICAL CONDITION AGGRAVATED:** None known

## 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**ENVIRONMENTAL FATE:** The environmental properties of this chemical mixture have not been thoroughly investigated.

## 13 –DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

**WASTE DISPOSAL:** Dispose of all waste product and wastes generated from this product in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations. Assume wastes are hazardous unless characterization demonstrates otherwise. Handle empty drums as if they contain chemical residual until they have been thoroughly decontaminated.

## 14 – TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION

**PROPER SHIPPING NAME:** .....CHLORITE SOLUTION,  
**HAZARD CLASS:** .....8  
**UN/NA NUMBER:** .....UN 1908  
**PACKAGING GROUP :** .....II

## 15 - REGULATIONS

Contents of this MSDS comply with the OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200

**EPA SARA Title III Chemical Listings:**

<b>Acute:</b> ..... Yes	<b>Chronic:</b> ..... No
<b>Fire:</b> ..... No	<b>Pressure:</b> ..... No
<b>Reactive:</b> ..... No	

**SARA SECTION 313:** This product DOES NOT contain toxic chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act and 40 CFR Part 372.

## 16 – OTHER INFORMATION

**HEALTH:** 3,      **FLAMMABILITY:** 0,      **REACTIVITY:** 1,      **PERSONAL PROTECTION:** C

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:** None known