# GERBU

## Safety data sheet According to UK REACH

## 1569 - TAE 10x buffer solution

# SECTION 1: IDENTIFICATION OF THE SUBSTANCE/MIXTURE AND OF THE COMPANY/UNDERTAKING

1.1 Product identifier:

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Other means of identification:

Non-applicable

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

Relevant uses: For use in laboratory and production. Not for human or animal use. . For professional users only.

Uses advised against (Professional users): Not for human or animal use

1.3 Details of the supplier of the safety data sheet:

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1.4 Emergency telephone number: Toxicological Information Freiburg

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#### **SECTION 2: HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

2.1 Classification of the substance or mixture:

GBCLP Regulation:

The product is not classified as hazardous according to GB CLP Regulation.

2.2 Label elements:

GBCLP Regulation:

Hazard statements:

Non-applicable

Precautionary statements:

Non-applicable

Supplementary information:

EUH210: Safety data sheet available on request.

2.3 Other hazards:

Product fails to meet PBT/vPvB criteria

## SECTION 3: COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

3.1 Substance:

Non-applicable

3.2 Mixture:

Chemical description: Chemical substance

Components:

In accordance with Annex II of The REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020, the product contains:

	Identification	Chemical name/Classification	Concentration
CAS:	64-19-7	Acetic acid	1-<2,5%
0, 10.	0.107	Flam. Liq. 3: H226; Skin Corr. 1A: H314 - Danger	< <u>&lt;&gt;&gt;<a><a><a><a><a><a><a><a><a><a><a><a>&lt;</a></a></a></a></a></a></a></a></a></a></a></a></u>

To obtain more information on the hazards of the substances consult sections 11, 12 and 16.

# **SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES**

4.1 Description of first aid measures:

The symptoms resulting from intoxication can appear after exposure, therefore, in case of doubt, seek medical attention for direct exposure to the chemical product or persistent discomfort, showing the SDS of this product.

By inhalation:

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# SECTION 4: FIRST AID MEASURES (continued)

This product does not contain substances classified as hazardous for inhalation, however, in case of symptoms of intoxication remove the person affected from the exposure area and provide with fresh air. Seek medical attention if the symptoms get worse or persist.

#### By skin contact:

This product is not classified as hazardous when in contact with the skin. However, in case of skin contact it is recommended to remove contaminated clothes and shoes, rinse the skin or if necessary shower the affected person thoroughly with cold water and neutral soap. In case of serious reaction consult a doctor.

## By eye contact:

Rinse eyes thoroughly with water for at least 15 minutes. If the injured person uses contact lenses, these should be removed unless they are stuck to the eyes, in which case removal could cause further damage. In all cases, after cleaning, a doctor should be consulted as quickly as possible with the SDS for the product.

## By ingestion/aspiration:

Do not induce vomiting, but if it does happen keep the head down to avoid aspiration. Keep the person affected at rest. Rinse out the mouth and throat, as they may have been affected during ingestion.

#### Most important symptoms and effects, both acute and delayed: 4.2

Acute and delayed effects are indicated in sections 2 and 11.

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

Non-applicable

## **SECTION 5: FIREFIGHTING MEASURES**

#### 5.1 Extinguishing media:

#### Suitable extinguishing media:

Product is non-flammable under normal conditions of storage, manipulation and use, but the product contains flammable substances. In the case of inflammation as a result of improper manipulation, storage or use preferably use polyvalent powder extinguishers (ABC powder), in accordance with the Regulation on fire protection systems.

# Unsuitable extinguishing media:

IT IS RECOMMENDED NOT to use full jet water as an extinguishing agent.

#### 5.2 Special hazards arising from the substance or mixture:

As a result of combustion or thermal decomposition reactive sub-products are created that can become highly toxic and, consequently, can present a serious health risk.

#### 5.3 Advice for firefighters:

Depending on the magnitude of the fire it may be necessary to use full protective clothing and self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). Minimum emergency facilities and equipment should be available (fire blankets, portable first aid kit,...).

Act in accordance with the Internal Emergency Plan and the Information Sheets on actions to take after an accident or other emergencies. Eliminate all sources of ignition. In case of fire, cool the storage containers and tanks for products susceptible to combustion, explosion or BLEVE as a result of high temperatures. Avoid spillage of the products used to extinguish the fire into an aqueous medium.

# SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# Personal precautions, protective equipment and emergency procedures:

#### For non-emergency personnel:

Sweep up and shovel product or collect by other means and place in container for reuse (preferred) or disposal

# For emergency responders:

Wear protective equipment. Keep unprotected persons away. See section 8.

#### 62 Environmental precautions:

This product is not classified as hazardous to the environment. Keep product away from drains, surface and ground water.

#### 6.3 Methods and material for containment and deaning up:

It is recommended:

Sweep up and shovel product or collect by other means and place in container for reuse (preferred) or disposal

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## SECTION 6: ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES (continued)

#### Reference to other sections:

See sections 8 and 13.

#### **SECTION 7: HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### 7.1 Precautions for safe handling:

A.- General precautions for safe use

Comply with the current legislation concerning the prevention of industrial risks with regards manually handling weights. Maintain order, cleanliness and dispose of using safe methods (section 6).

B.- Technical recommendations for the prevention of fires and explosions

Due to its non-inflammable nature, the product does not present a fire risk under normal conditions of storage, handling and

C.- Technical recommendations on general occupational hygiene

Do not eat or drink during the process, washing hands afterwards with suitable cleaning products.

D.- Technical recommendations to prevent environmental risks

It is recommended to have absorbent material available at close proximity to the product (See subsection 6.3)

- 7.2 Conditions for safe storage, including any incompatibilities:
  - A.- Technical measures for storage

Minimum Temp.:

B.- General conditions for storage

Avoid sources of heat, radiation, static electricity and contact with food. For additional information see subsection 10.5

7.3 Specific end use(s):

> Except for the instructions already specified it is not necessary to provide any special recommendation regarding the uses of this product.

#### SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

#### 8.1 Control parameters:

Substances whose occupational exposure limits have to be monitored in the workplace:

EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits, fourth edition, published 2020:

Identification Occupational exposure lim		re limits	
Acetic acid	WEL (8h)	10 ppm	25 mg/m³
CAS: 64-19-7	WEL (15 min)	20 ppm	50 mg/m³

Nuisance dust: Inhalable dust 10 mg/m3 // Respirable dust 4 mg/m3

# DNEL (Workers):

		Shortexposure		Long e	xposure
Identification		Systemic	Local	Systemic	Local
Acetic acid	Oral	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable
CAS: 64-19-7	Dermal	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable
EC: 200-580-7	Inhalation	Non-applicable	25 mg/m³	Non-applicable	25 mg/m³

# DNEL (General population):

		Short exposure		Long exposure	
Identification		Systemic	Local	Systemic	Local
Acetic acid	Oral	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable
CAS: 64-19-7	Dermal	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable	Non-applicable
EC: 200-580-7	Inhalation	Non-applicable	25 mg/m³	Non-applicable	25 mg/m³

PNEC:

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# SECTION 8: EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION (continued)

Identification				
Acetic acid	STP	85 mg/L	Fresh water	3.058 mg/L
CAS: 64-19-7	Soil	0.47 mg/kg	Marine water	0.306 mg/L
EC: 200-580-7	Intermittent	30.58 mg/L	Sediment (Fresh water)	11.36 mg/kg
	Oral	Non-applicable	Sediment (Marine water)	1.136 mg/kg

#### 8.2 Exposure controls:

A.- Individual protection measures, such as personal protective equipment

As a preventative measure it is recommended to use basic Personal Protective Equipment, with the corresponding <<UKCA marking>>. For more information on Personal Protective Equipment (storage, use, cleaning, maintenance, class of protection, ..) consult the information leaflet provided by the manufacturer. For more information see subsection 7.1. All information contained herein is a recommendation which needs some specification from the labour risk prevention services as it is not known whether the company has additional measures at its disposal.

B.- Respiratory protection

The use of protection equipment will be necessary if a mist forms or if the occupational exposure limits are exceeded.

C.- Specific protection for the hands

Non-applicable

D.- Eye and face protection

Non-applicable

E.- Body protection

Non-applicable

F.- Additional emergency measures

It is not necessary to take additional emergency measures.

# Environmental exposure controls:

In accordance with the community legislation for the protection of the environment it is recommended to avoid environmental spillage of both the product and its container. For additional information see subsection 7.1.D

# SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### 9.1 Information on basic physical and chemical properties:

For complete information see the product datasheet.

Appearance:

Physical state at 20 °C: Solid

Appearance: Not available Colour: Not available Odour: Not available Odour threshold: Non-applicable \*

Volatility:

Boiling point at atmospheric pressure: Non-applicable \* Vapour pressure at 20 ºC: Non-applicable \* Vapour pressure at 50 °C: Non-applicable \* Evaporation rate at 20 ºC: Non-applicable \*

Product description:

Density at 20 ºC: 1034.9 kg/m<sup>3</sup> Relative density at 20 ºC: 1.035

Dynamic viscosity at 20 ºC: Non-applicable \* Kinematic viscosity at 20 ºC: Non-applicable \* Kinematic viscosity at 40 °C: Non-applicable \*

\*Not relevant due to the nature of the product, not providing information property of its hazards.

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# SECTION 9: PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES (continued)

Concentration: Non-applicable \*

pH:

Vapour density at 20 °C:

Partition coefficient n-octanol/water 20 °C:

Solubility in water at 20 °C:

Non-applicable \*

Non-applicable \*

Non-applicable \*

Non-applicable \*

Non-applicable \*

Melting point/freezing point:

Non-applicable \*

Flammability:

Flash Point: Non-applicable
Flammability (solid, gas): Non-applicable \*

Autoignition temperature: 427 °C

Lower flammability limit: Non-applicable \*
Upper flammability limit: Non-applicable \*

Explosive (Solid):

Lower explosive limit: Non-applicable \*
Upper explosive limit: Non-applicable \*

Particle characteristics:

Median equivalent diameter: Non-applicable \*

9.2 Other information:

Information with regard to physical hazard classes:

Explosive properties:

Oxidising properties:

Non-applicable \*

Corrosive to metals:

Non-applicable \*

Heat of combustion:

Aerosols-total percentage (by mass) of flammable

Non-applicable \*

components:

Other safety characteristics:

Surface tension at 20 °C: Non-applicable \*
Refraction index: Non-applicable \*

\*Not relevant due to the nature of the product, not providing information property of its hazards.

#### SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

# 10.1 Reactivity:

No hazardous reactions are expected because the product is stable under recommended storage conditions. See section 7.

#### 10.2 Chemical stability:

Chemically stable under the indicated conditions of storage, handling and use.

# 10.3 Possibility of hazardous reactions:

Under the specified conditions, hazardous reactions that lead to excessive temperatures or pressure are not expected.

# 10.4 Conditions to avoid:

Applicable for handling and storage at room temperature:

Shock and friction	Contact with air	Increase in temperature	Sunlight	Humidity
Notapplicable	Notapplicable	Precaution	Precaution	Notapplicable

#### 10.5 Incompatible materials:

Acids	Water	Oxidising materials	Combustible materials	Others
Notapplicable	Notapplicable	Avoid direct impact	Notapplicable	Avoid alkalis orstrong bases

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## SECTION 10: STABILITY AND REACTIVITY (continued)

#### 10.6 Hazardous decomposition products:

See subsection 10.3, 10.4 and 10.5 to find out the specific decomposition products. Depending on the decomposition conditions, complex mixtures of chemical substances can be released: carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), carbon monoxide and other organic compounds.

## SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

# 11.1 Information on toxicological effects:

The experimental information related to the toxicological properties of the product itself is not available

#### Dangerous health implications:

In case of exposure that is repetitive, prolonged or at concentrations higher than the recommended occupational exposure limits, adverse effects on health may result, depending on the means of exposure:

#### A- Ingestion (acute effect):

- Acute toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for consumption. For more information see section 3
- Corrosivity/Irritability: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. However, it does contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- B- Inhalation (acute effect):
  - Acute toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for inhalation. For more information see section 3.
  - Corrosivity/Irritability: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. However, it does contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- C- Contact with the skin and the eyes (acute effect):
  - Contact with the skin: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. However, it contains substances classified as hazardous for skin contact. For more information see section 3.
  - Contact with the eyes: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met. However, it does contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- D- CMR effects (carcinogenicity, mutagenicity and toxicity to reproduction):
  - Carcinogenicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for the effects mentioned. For more information see section 3.

IARC: Non-applicable

- Mutagenicity. Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- Reproductive toxicity: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- E- Sensitizing effects:
  - Respiratory: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous with sensitising effects. For more information see section 3.
  - Skin: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- F- Specific target organ toxicity (STOT) single exposure:

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.

- G- Specific target organ toxicity (STOT)-repeated exposure:
  - Specific target organ toxicity (STOT)-repeated exposure: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
  - Skin: Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.
- H- Aspiration hazard:

Based on available data, the classification criteria are not met, as it does not contain substances classified as hazardous for this effect. For more information see section 3.

Other information:

Non-applicable

Specific toxicology information on the substances:

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# SECTION 11: TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION (continued)

Not available

# Acute Toxicity Estimate (ATE mix):

ATE mix		Ingredient(s) of unknown toxicity
Oral	>5000 mg/kg (Calculation method)	Non-applicable
Dermal	>5000 mg/kg (Calculation method)	Non-applicable
Inhalation	>5 mg/L (4 h) (Calculation method)	Non-applicable

# **SECTION 12: ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

The experimental information related to the eco-toxicological properties of the product itself is not available

# 12.1 Toxicity:

## Acute toxicity:

Identification		Concentration	Species	Genus
Acetic acid	LC50	75 mg/L (96 h)	Lepomis macrochirus	Fish
CAS: 64-19-7	EC50	47 mg/L (24 h)	Daphnia magna	Crustacean
	EC50	Non-applicable		

# Chronic toxicity:

Identification		Concentration	Species	Genus	
Acetic acid	NOEC	57.2 mg/L	Oncorhynchus mykiss	Fish	
CAS: 64-19-7	NOEC	80 mg/L	Daphnia magna	Crustacean	

# 12.2 Persistence and degradability:

# Substance-specific information:

Identification	Degr	adability	Biode	gradability
Acetic acid	BOD5	Non-applicable	Concentration	100 mg/L
CAS: 64-19-7	COD	Non-applicable	Period	14 days
	BOD5/COD	Non-applicable	% Biodegradable	74 %

# 12.3 Bioaccumulative potential:

# Substance-specific information:

Identification	Bioaccu	mulation potential
Acetic acid	BCF	3
CAS: 64-19-7	Pow Log	-0.71
	Potential	Low

## 12.4 Mobility in soil:

Identification	Absorp	Absorption/desorption		Volatility	
Acetic acid	Koc	Non-applicable	Henry	Non-applicable	
CAS: 64-19-7	Conclusion	Non-applicable	Dry soil	Non-applicable	
	Surface tension	2.699E-2 N/m (25 °C)	Moist soil	Non-applicable	

# 12.5 Results of PBT and vPvB assessment:

Product fails to meet PBT/vPvB criteria

## 12.6 Other adverse effects:

Not described

## SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

# 13.1 Waste treatment methods:

Type of waste:

HP4 Irritant - skin irritation and eye damage

Waste management (disposal and evaluation):

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# SECTION 13: DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS (continued)

Consult the authorized waste service manager on the assessment and disposal operations in accordance The Waste Regulations 2011, 2011 No. 988. As under 15 01 of the code and in case the container has been in direct contact with the product, it will be processed the same way as the actual product. Otherwise, it will be processed as non-dangerous residue. Waste should not be disposed of to drains. See paragraph 6.2.

Regulations related to waste management:

In accordance with Annex II of UK REACH the provisions related to waste management are stated:

UK legislation: The Waste Regulations 2011.

#### **SECTION 14: TRANSPORT INFORMATION**

This product is not regulated for transport (ADR/RID,IMDG,IATA)

## **SECTION 15: REGULATORY INFORMATION**

- 15.1 Safety, health and environmental regulations/legislation specific for the substance or mixture:
  - Substances listed in UK candidate list of substances of very high concern (SVHCs): Non-applicable
  - Substances listed in UK REACH Authorisation List (Annex 14): Non-applicable

The Control of Major Accident Hazards Regulations 2015:

Non-applicable

Restrictions to commercialisation and the use of certain dangerous substances and mixtures (Annex XVII UK REACH, etc...):

Non-applicable

Specific provisions in terms of protecting people or the environment:

It is recommended to use the information included in this safety data sheet as a basis for conducting workplace-specific risk assessments in order to establish the necessary risk prevention measures for the handling, use, storage and disposal of this product.

Other legislation:

The REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020.

The Chemicals (Health and Safety) and Genetically Modified Organisms (Contained Use) (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (as amended)

EH40/2005 Workplace exposure limits.

# **SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION**

Legislation related to safety data sheets:

This safety data sheet has been designed in accordance with ANNEX II-The REACH etc. (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations

Texts of the legislative phrases mentioned in section 3:

The phrases indicated do not refer to the product itself; they are present merely for informative purposes and refer to the individual components which appear in section 3

GBCLP Regulation:

Flam. Lig. 3: H226 - Flammable liquid and vapour.

Skin Corr. 1A: H314 - Causes severe skin burns and eye damage.

Classification procedure:

Non-applicable

Advice related to training:

Training is recommended in order to prevent industrial risks for staff using this product and to facilitate their comprehension and interpretation of this safety data sheet, as well as the label on the product.

Principal bibliographical sources:

http://echa.europa.eu

http://eur-lex.europa.eu

Abbreviations and acronyms:

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# SECTION 16: OTHER INFORMATION (continued)

ADR: European agreement concerning the international carriage of dangerous goods by road

IMDG: International maritime dangerous goods code

IATA: International Air Transport Association ICAO: International Civil Aviation Organisation

COD: Chemical Oxygen Demand

BOD5: 5day biochemical oxygen demand

BCF: Bioconcentration factor LD50: Lethal Dose 50 LC50: Lethal Concentration 50 EC50: Effective concentration 50

LogPOW: Octanolwater partition coefficient Koc: Partition coefficient of organic carbon

UFI: unique formula identifier

IARC: International Agency for Research on Cancer

The information contained in this safety data sheet is based on sources, technical knowledge and current legislation at UK, without being able to guarantee its accuracy. This information cannot be considered a guarantee of the properties of the product, it is simply a description of the security requirements. The occupational methodology and conditions for users of this product are not within our awareness or control, and it is ultimately the responsibility of the user to take the necessary measures to obtain the legal requirements concerning the manipulation, storage, use and disposal of chemical products. The information on this safety data sheet only refers to this product, which should not be used for needs other than those specified.

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